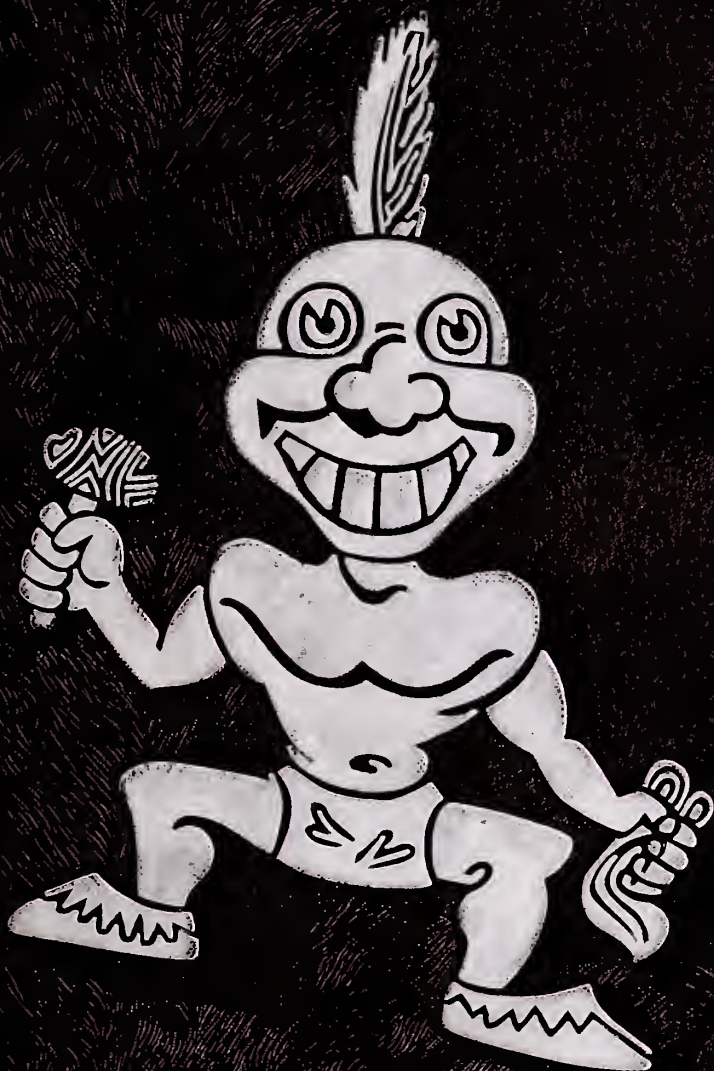


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The

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## Foreword

Without you this book would not have been possible; it would be only a collection of blank pages. During the years to come may it serve to remind you of some of your happiest moments, and to bring back memories of things past but not forgotten. The staff of the 1956 POW WOW wishes you happy autograph-hunting.

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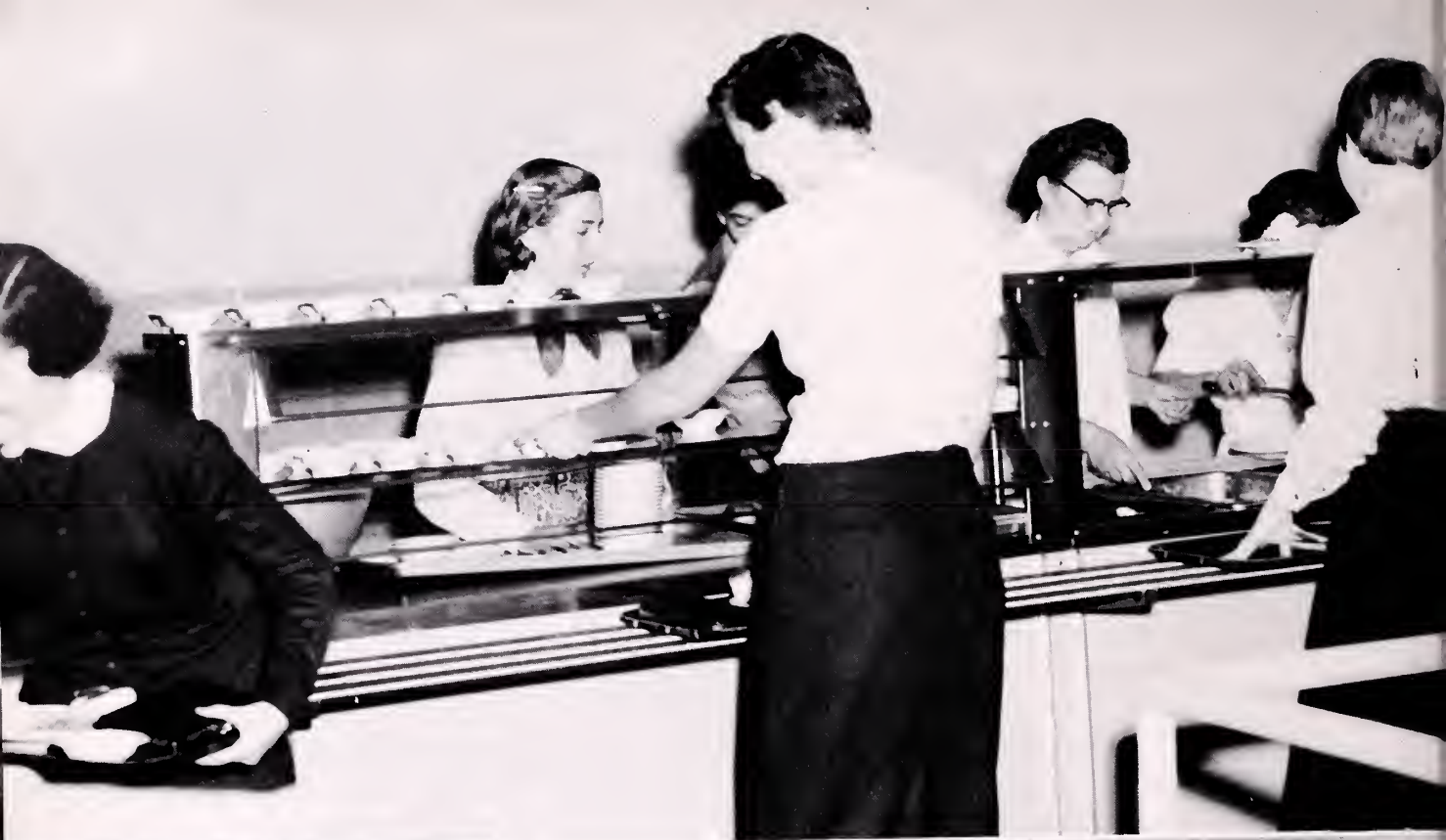
## *Dedication*

Dave and Bill Brown have not only given us outstanding teams in every sport, but also have taught us the true meaning of good sportsmanship. To them we gratefully dedicate the 1956 POW WOW.



1956  
POW WOW  
Dedicated to  
Dave and Bill Brown





*Life  
At  
B. H. S.*





**FACULTY**





## *Principal*

RAYNARD T. HALE



Mr. Hale is more than a principal; he is a good friend to each and every student. Whether it be taking a carload of students to a ball game, crowning a beauty queen, or discussing a problem with a pupil or a teacher, he is always ready and willing. After school hours, P.T.A. activities keep him busy; and every year finds him participating in the Lion's Club Minstrel. For all his help and guidance we wish to say thank you.





V. N. Ashworth  
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Kenneth Beachum  
B. S. V.P.I.  
DE-DO



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A. M. Columbia  
Art

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Blanche Beamer  
B. S. Mississippi State  
M. S. V.P.I.  
Home Economics





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Physical Education



Dave Brown  
B. S. Concord College  
Physical Education



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B. S. Iowa State  
Science



Miriam Estes  
B. S. Radford  
Business Education and Office



Phyllis Butts  
B. S. Radford  
Home Economics



Edna Fetter  
B. S. Radford  
Social Studies, English



Juanita Henderson  
B. S. Madison  
English, Social Studies,  
and Mathematics



Virginia Hummel  
B. S. V.P.I.  
M. S. V.P.I.  
English and Algebra

Katheryne Hundley  
B. S. Longwood  
Business Education



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A. B. Concord College  
Mathematics and Guidance







Virgie Keith  
B. S. Marion, Indiana  
Mathematics

*I like my wife,  
but oh you kid!*



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B. S. Radford  
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Librarian

John Long  
B. S. V.P.I.  
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Alice Lubenow  
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Patricia Saunders  
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Evelyn Neidhardt  
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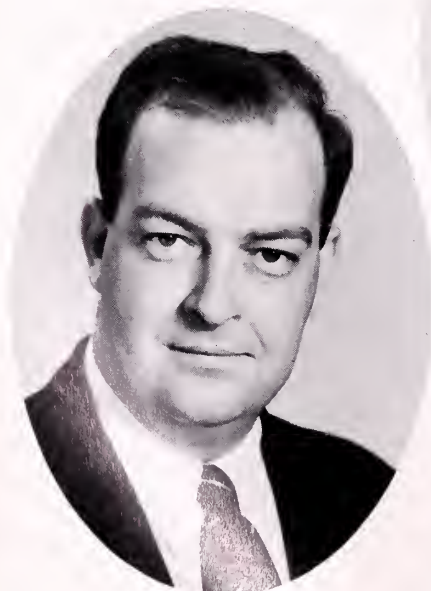


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M. A. George Williams  
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A. B. and M. S. West Virginia  
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*Our Cafeteria Staff*

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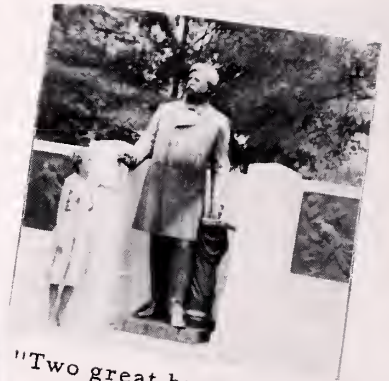
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A couple of glamour gals



This ain't Hawaii



"Two great hands meet"



The three stooges



Bathing beauty



Dressed fit to kill!



Did you say something?



The line-up



Two B.H.S. coeds



Myra



Peggy - long, long ago





# SENIORS

Officers: left to right, President, Vernon Bedwell; Secretary-Treasurer, Avis Willis; Vice President, Paul Bowyer.

Sponsor: Miss Dorothy Moseley





VERNON BEDWELL  
Key Club 2-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Latin 3; Beta  
Club 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4;  
Track 3; FFA 1,2; Senior Class Pres.  
Science 1,2; Boy's State 1954; Drama  
3,4.



PAUL BOWYER  
FFA 1-4; Football 1-4; Track 2-4;  
Pep 4; Monogram 4; Choir 3,4; Vice-  
Pres. Senior Class.



## *Seniors*



BARBARA BOYD  
4-H Club 1-2; Art Club 1-2; D. O. Club  
4; D. E. 4.



EDWARD DAVIS





**RODERICK ELLIOT**  
D. E. Club 4; Science Club 2; Pep Club  
3; Carnival Attendant 3.



**CAROLE KIRK**  
Post Graduate  
D. E. 5; D. E. Sec. 5; Monogram 4,5;  
Pres. Monogram 4; Latin 2; GAA 1,  
2,3,4,5; Asst. Point Recorder 3; Point  
recorder 4; FBLA 4,5; Tri-Hi-Y 1,  
4,5; Pow Wow 4; Track 2.



**HAROLD LONG**  
FFA 1,2; Industrial Arts 1;  
Pres. D.E. 4.



**RALPH MATTOX**  
FFA 1-3; Industrial Arts 4; Vice  
Pres. Industrial Arts; Stage Crew  
Asst. Manager; Diversified Occupa-  
tions; Pres. Diversified Occupations;  
State Diversified Occupations Con-  
vention-Resolutions Committee.



**JOHN MCCOY**  
FFA 1,2; Science 4; Industrial Arts 4.





MARY ALICE McGHEE  
FHA 2,3,4; FHA Pres. 4; FHA Reporter 2; GAA 2,3,4; Sec. & Tres. of Jr. Class; FHA Queen Attendant 2; Girl's State 1955; Football Queen; Pow Wow.

DAVID PAGE  
FFA 1-4.



MILTON PERFATER  
FFA 1,2,3,4; Science 1.



JUDY PRICE  
GAA 1-3; FHA 3; FBLA 4; Candidate Football Queen.

WILLIAM PRICE  
FFA 1-4; Football 1-4; Basketball Mgr. 3,4; Monogram 4; Pep Club 4.







TERESA RADFORD  
4-H; FHA; Science; D. E.; FBLA;  
Usher Jr. Play; Snow Queen (Union  
High School, Union W. Va.) Society  
Editor for "The Anchor" (Floyd).



CAROL RICE  
4-H Club 1; FHA 2; FBLA 3,4; Car-  
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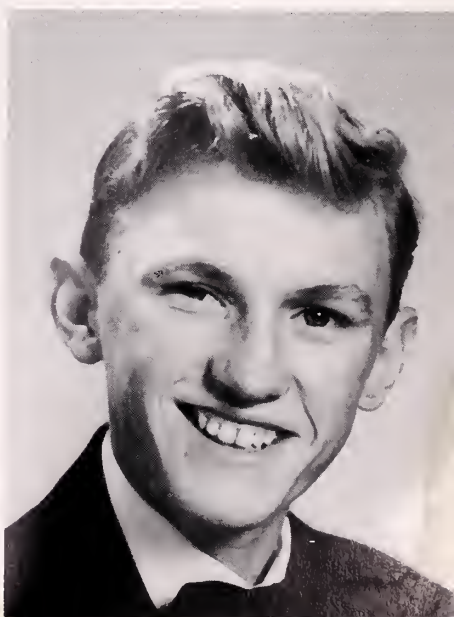


LINA RODGERS  
Laurel Chain 3; Language 1;  
FHA 1; D.E. 4; Dramatics 2,3;  
GAA 1,2,3,4.



JOSEPHINE SMITH  
Glee Club 2; Choir 3,4; Art 2,3,4.

JOHN TULLOSS  
4-H; FFA; Industrial Arts.





RADOR VADEN  
D.O. 4; FFA 2-4; D.E. 4.

JEAN VAN DYKE  
Band 1,2,3,4; Band Club 1,3; Y-Teens  
1; Pep Club 1; May Day 1, Choir 2;  
GAA2; FHA2; Beauty Contest 2; Car-  
nival Court 2; Sec. & Tres. of Soph.  
Class 2; PAA 3; FBLA 3,4; Vice Pres.  
FBLA; Dramatics Club 3; Laurel  
Chain 3; Pow Wow 4; D.E. Club 4.



WILLIAM WALL  
Football 1-4; FFA.



AVIS WILLIS  
Cheerleading 2; Reporter Soph.  
Class; Library Club; Vice Pres.  
French Club 2; Science Club 2; Re-  
porter FBLA 3; Pres. Junior Class;  
Girl's Monogram Club 4; Pres. GAA;  
Pres. National Honor Society 4; Sec.  
Tres. Senior Class; Senior Annual  
Editor; Girl's State 1955; DAR Citi-  
zenship Award; GAA 3; FHA 1; Lau-  
rel Chain 3; Beta Club 4.

JEAN WRIGHT  
Post Graduate  
FHA 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4; Chap. 4; Li-  
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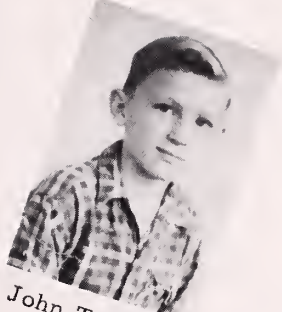




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Miss Moseley

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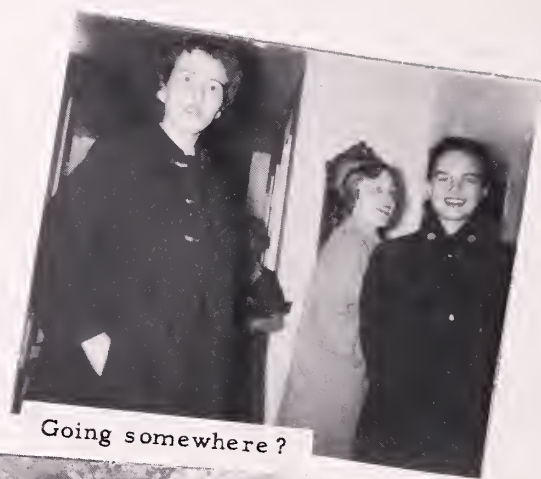


Ralph Mattox

# Snapshots



Ah, love!



Going somewhere?



Slurrrrp!



Freshman picnic



Weather expert?



Wow!



Cool, clear water



Playday



Carnival





# CLASSES







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## *Juniors*

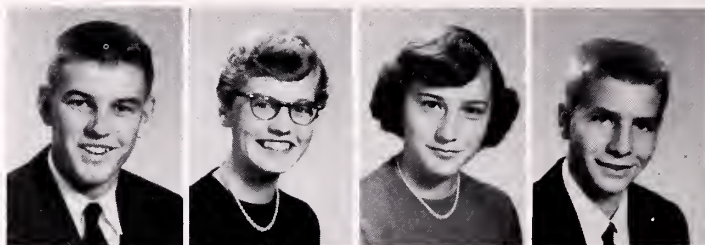


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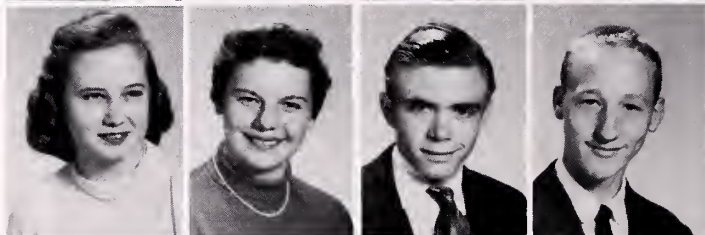


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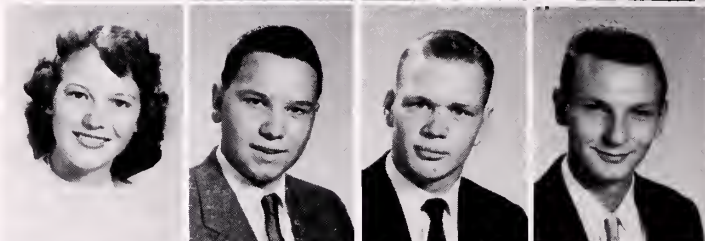
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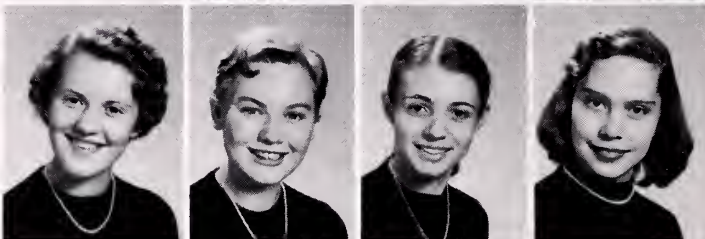
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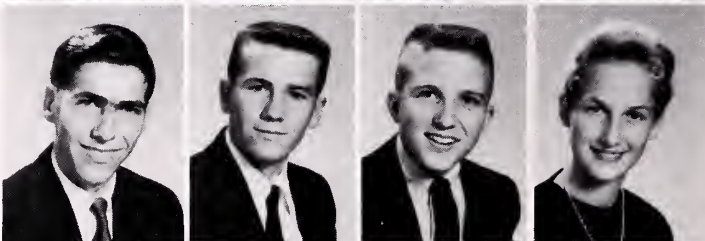
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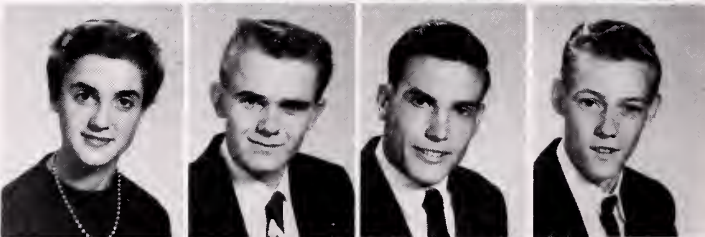
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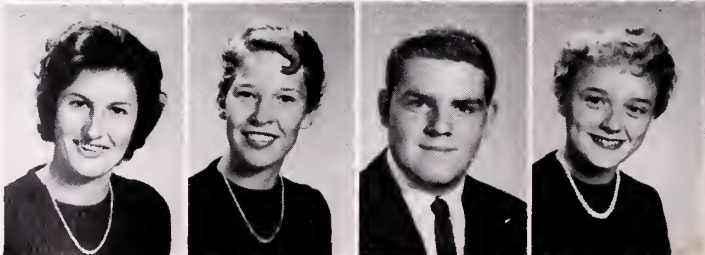
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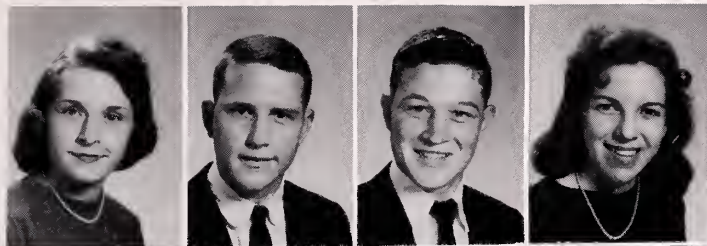


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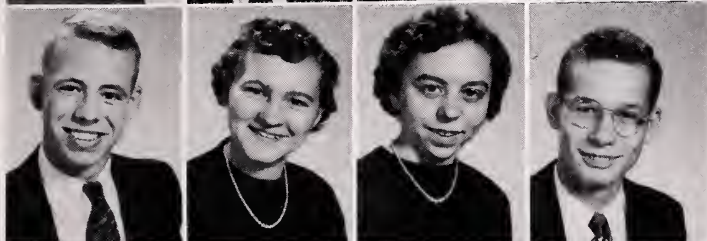




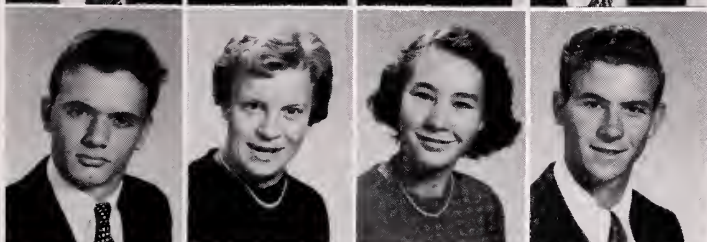
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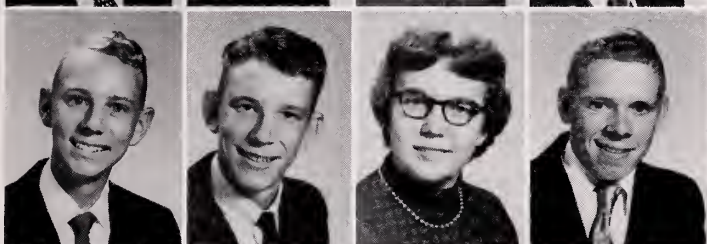
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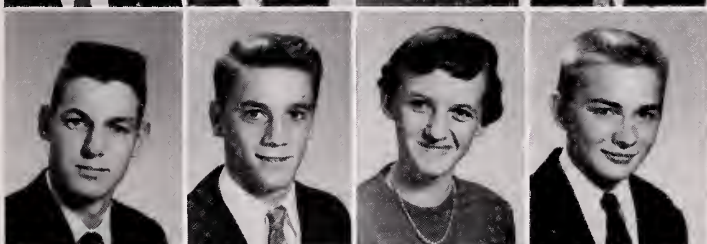
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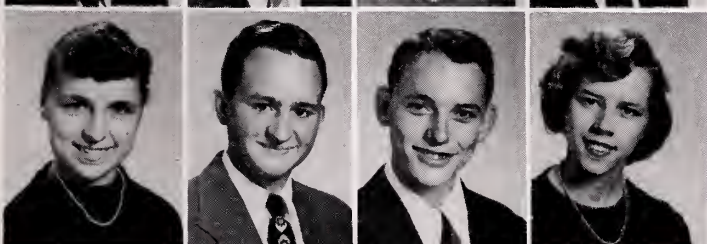
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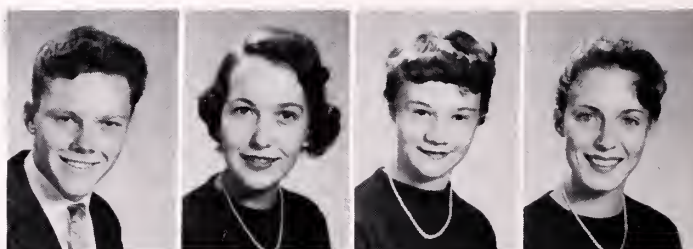
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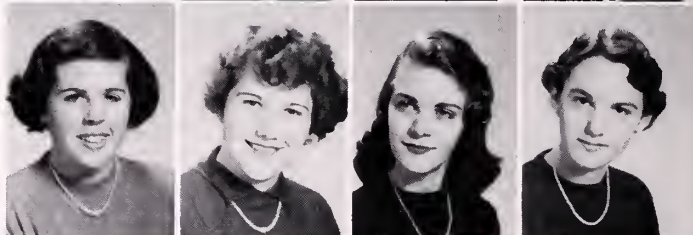
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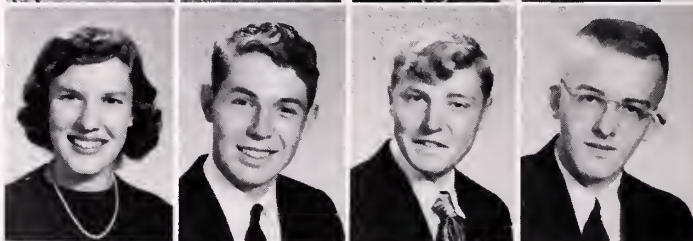
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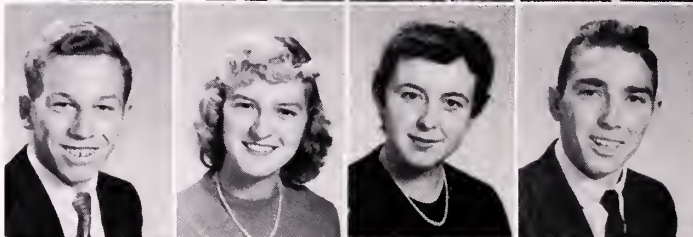
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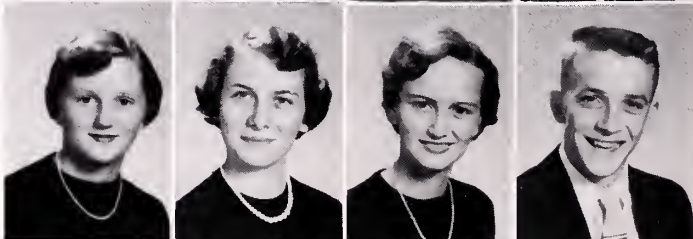
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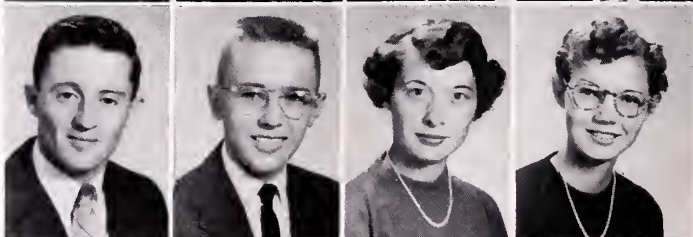
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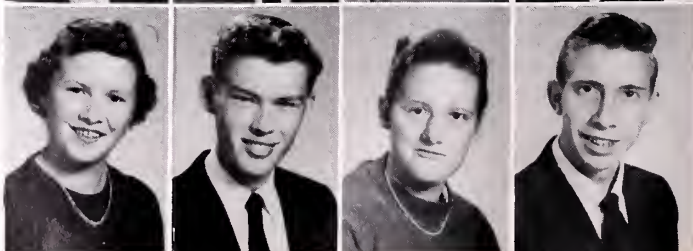
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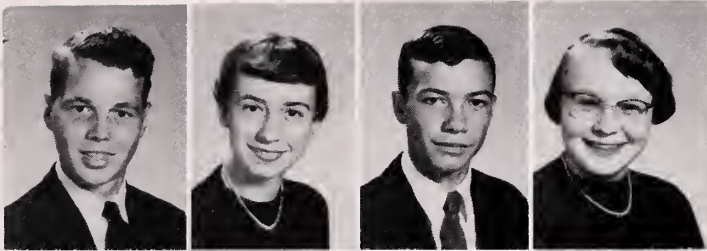


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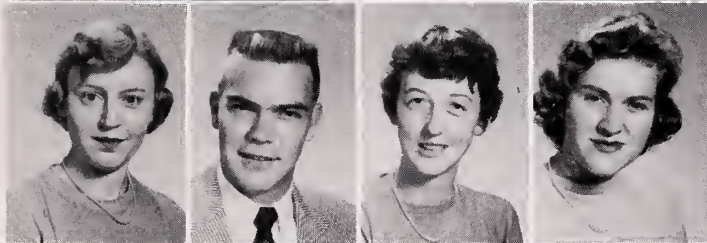




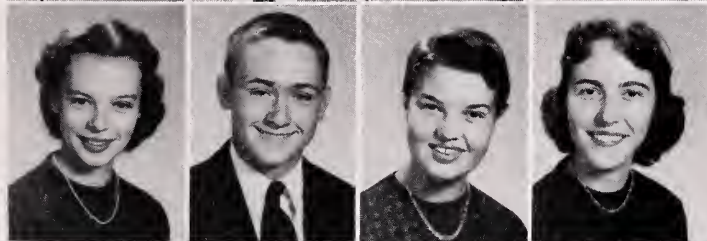
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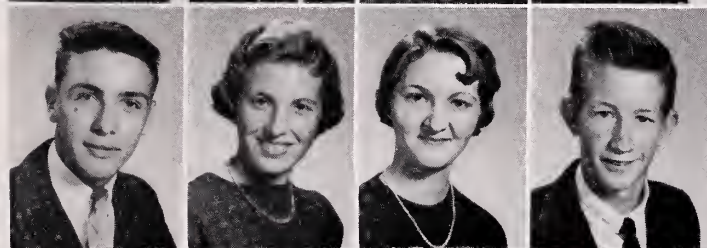
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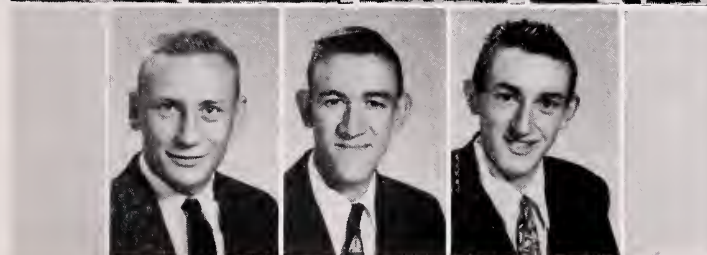
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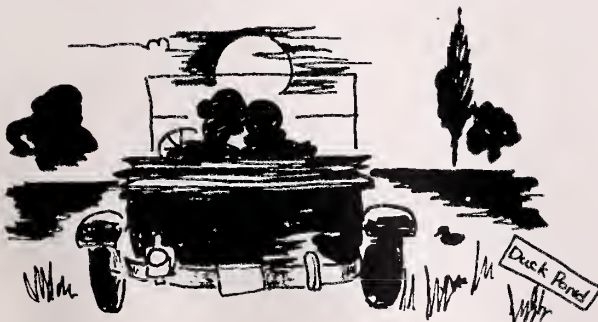


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# Snapshots



Ballroom scene



Three pretty misses



Smile Pretty!



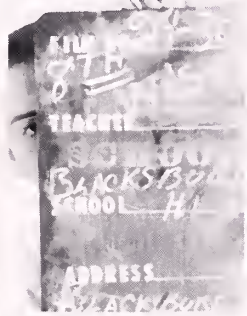
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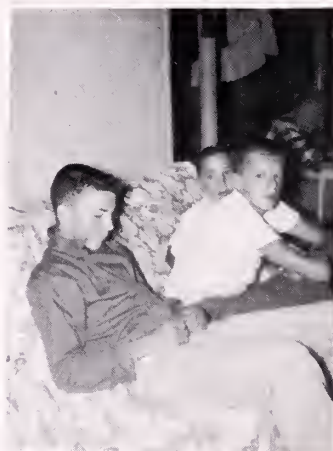
Glen



Little Louis



Peek-a-boo



?



Where's the candelabra?



Three real' cool cats



Tarzana



The Kipps and friend





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## *Sophomores*

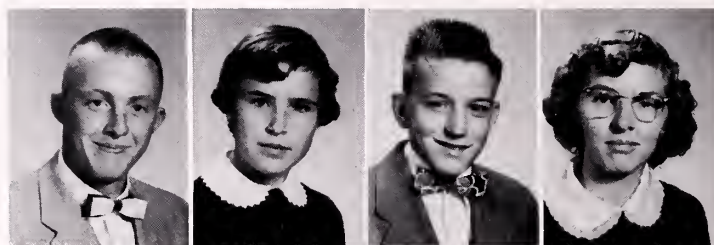


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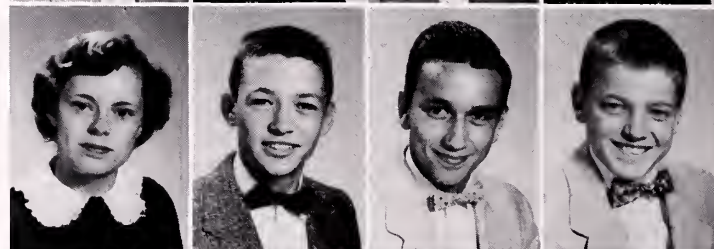
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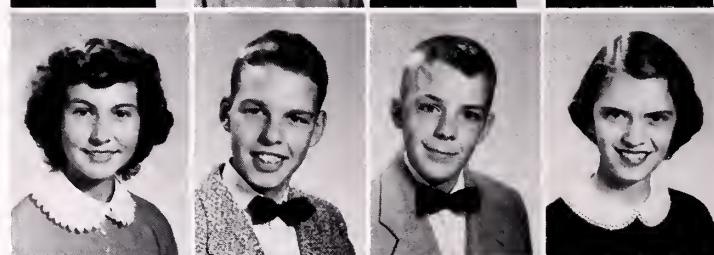
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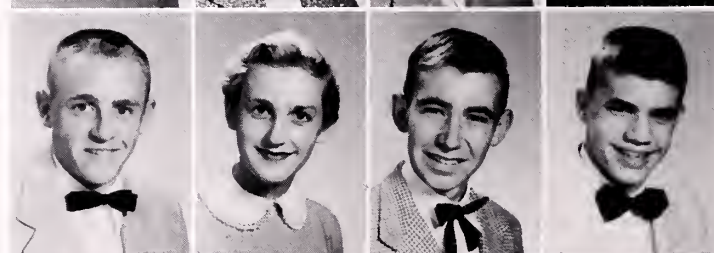
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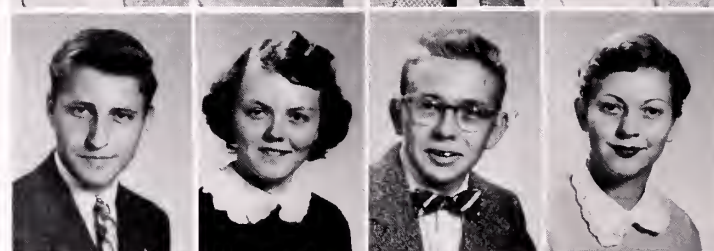
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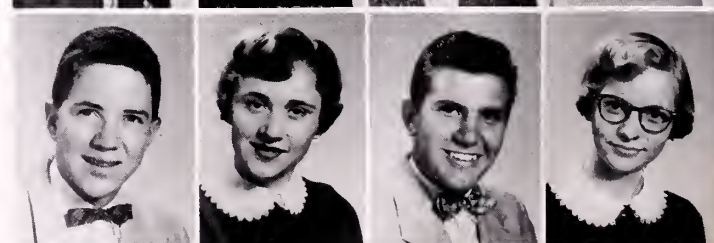
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Ronnie Dutton  
Ruth Epperly



James Fippin  
Helen Gallagher  
Gerald Gallimore  
Amy Gray





## *Sophomores*

Carolyn Grubb  
Arlean Hale  
Barbara Harrell  
Billy Harris

Paul Harris  
Barbara Harshbarger  
Madeline Howery  
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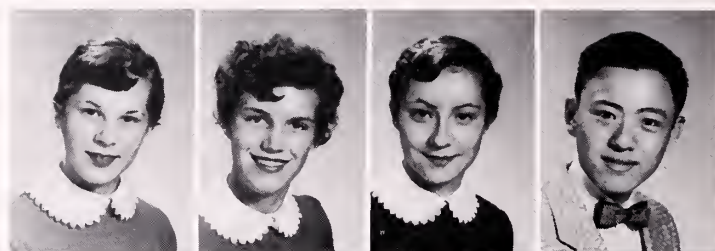
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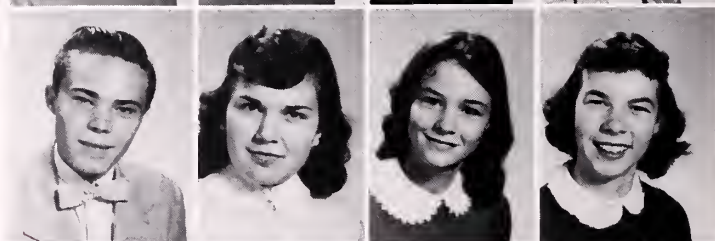
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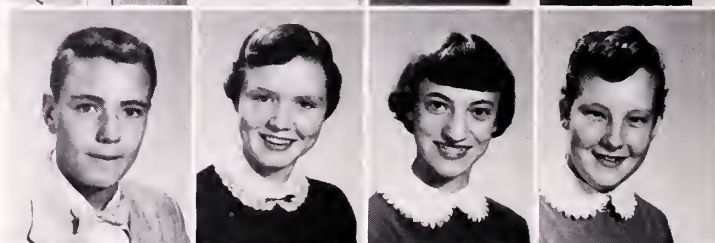
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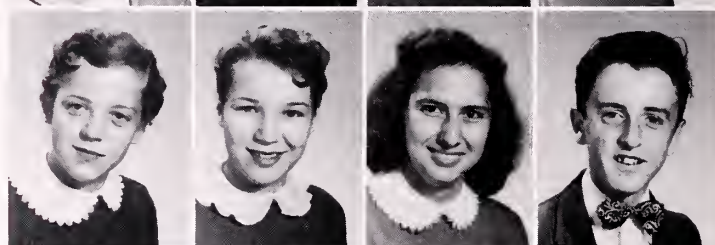
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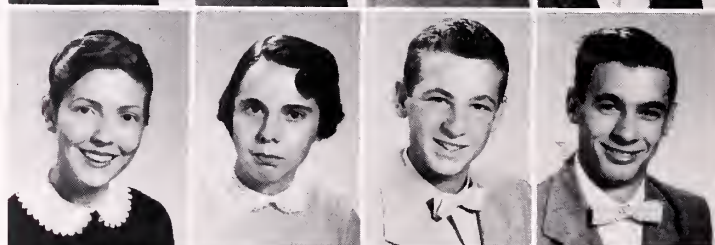
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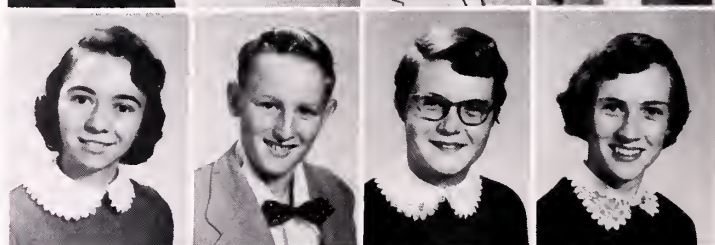
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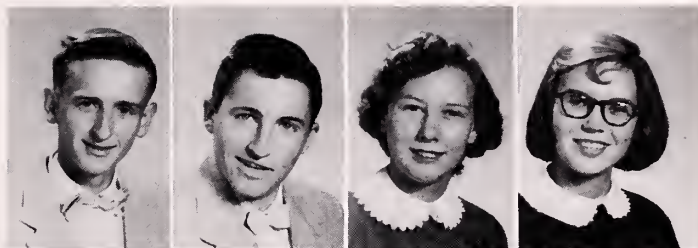
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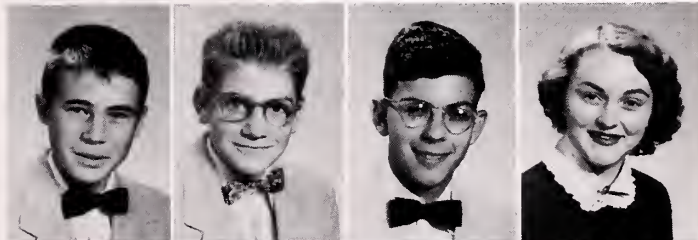


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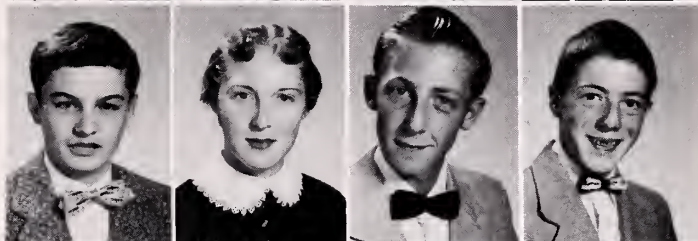
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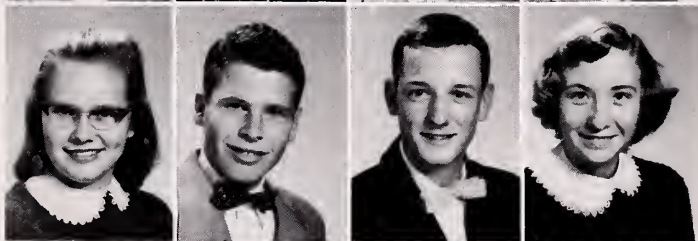
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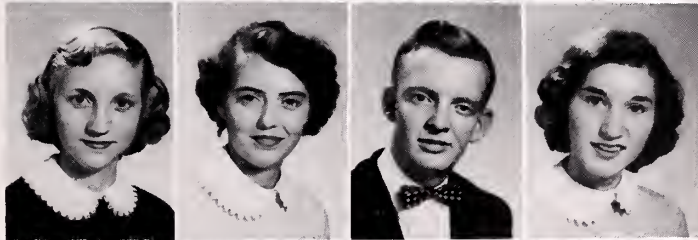
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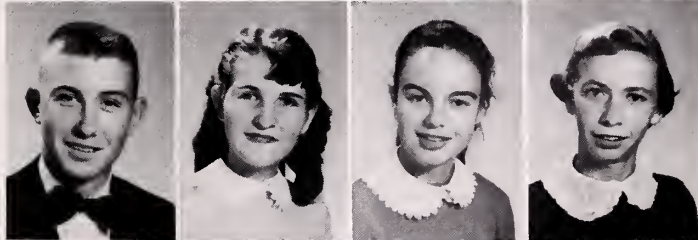
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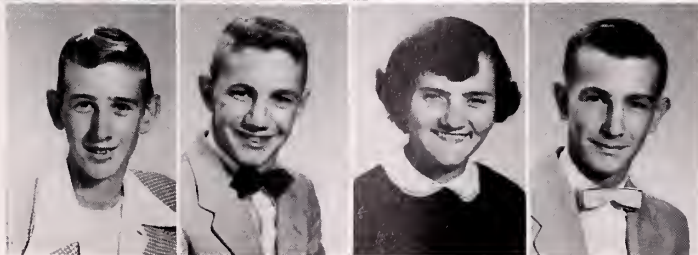
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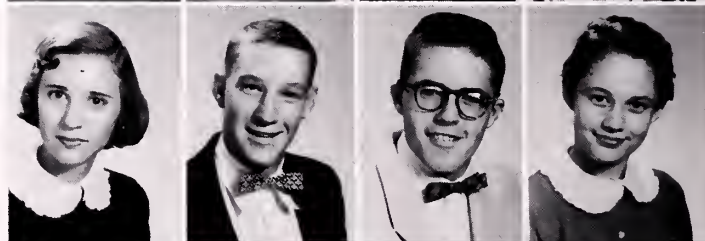


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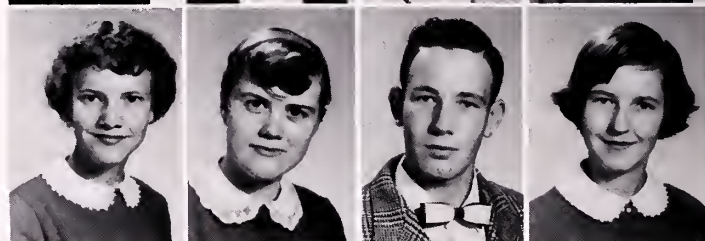
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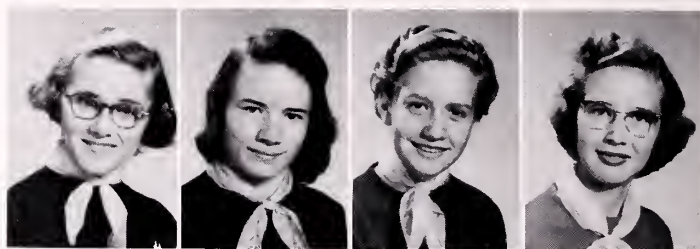


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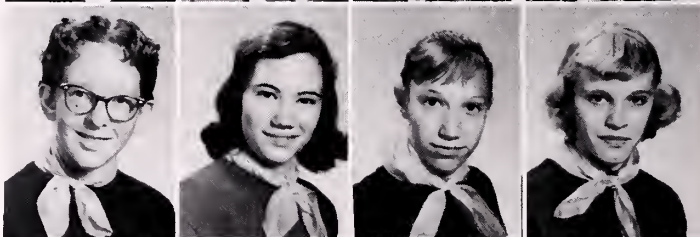
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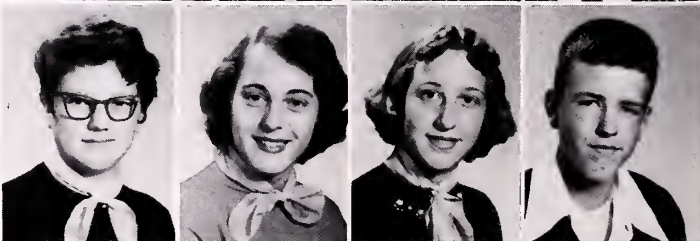
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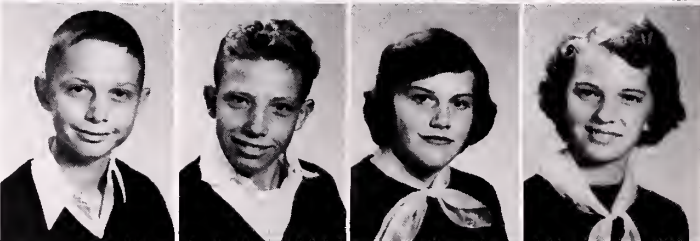
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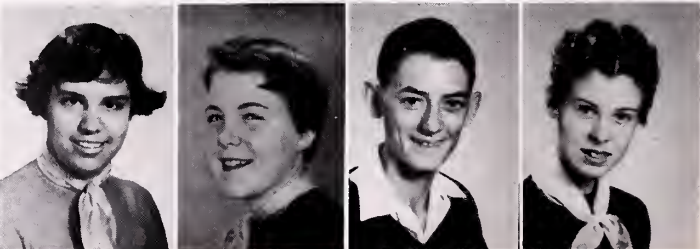
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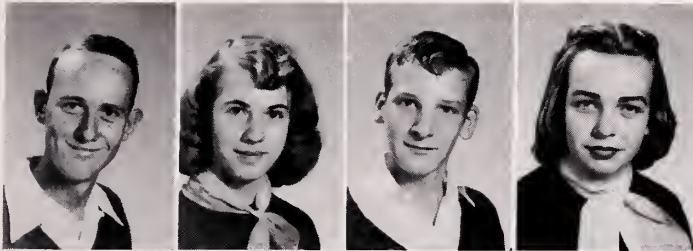


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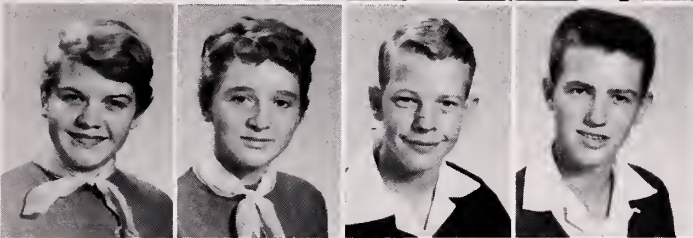




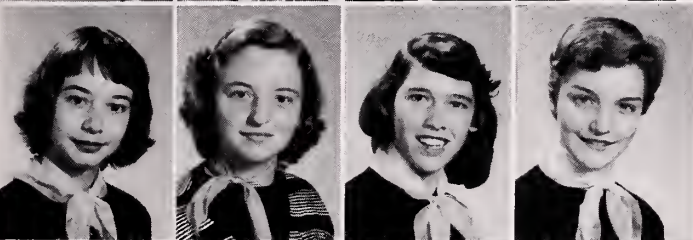
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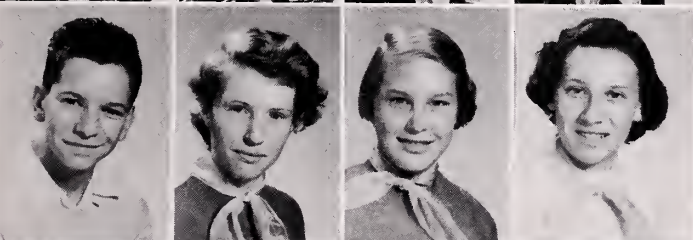
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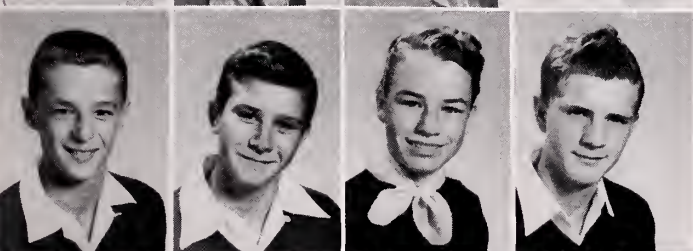
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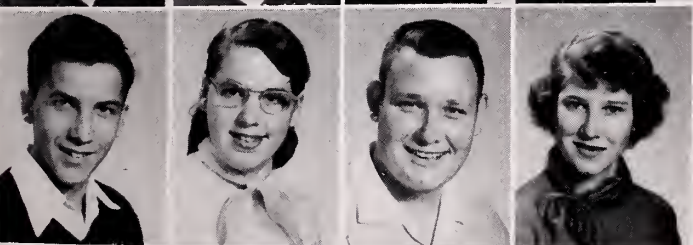
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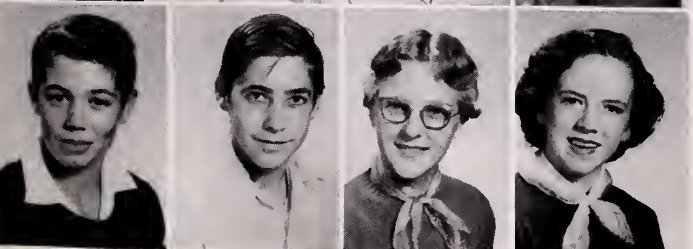
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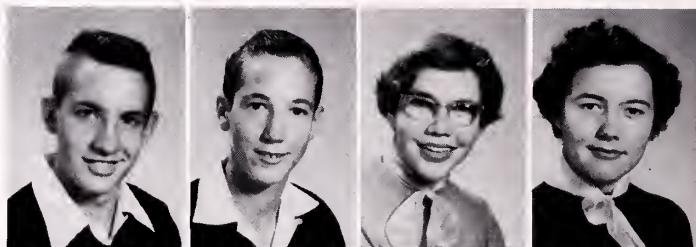
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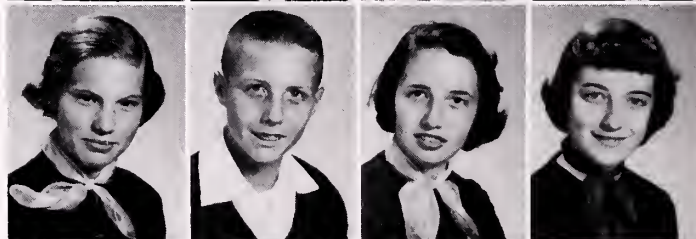
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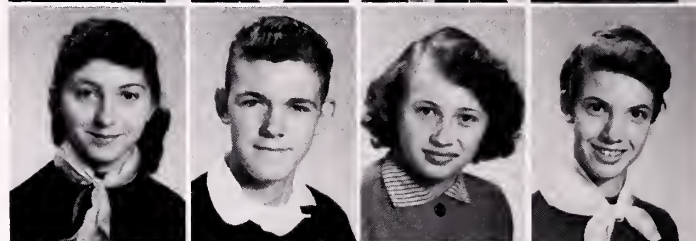
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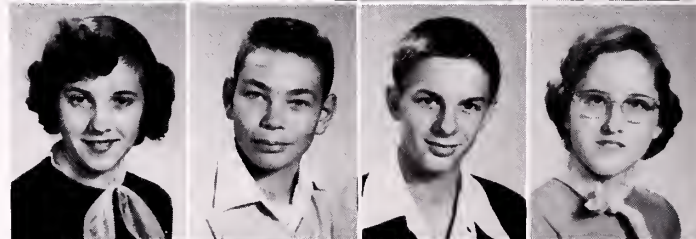
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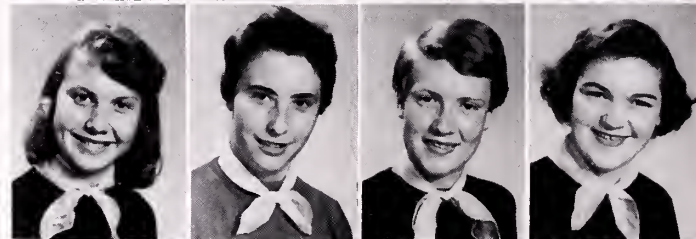
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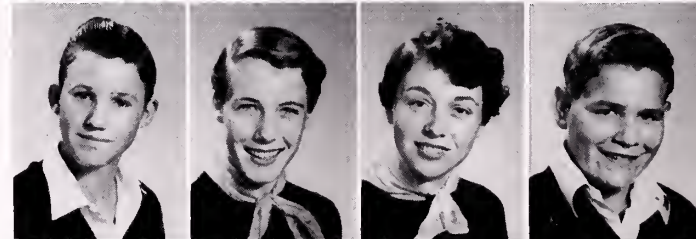
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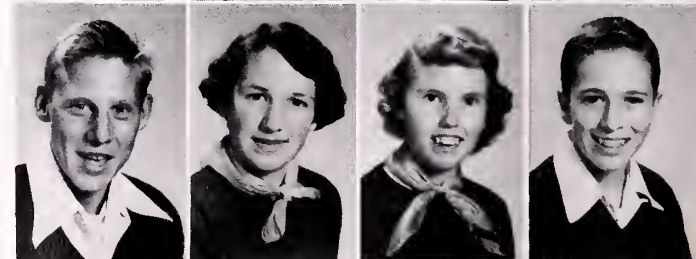
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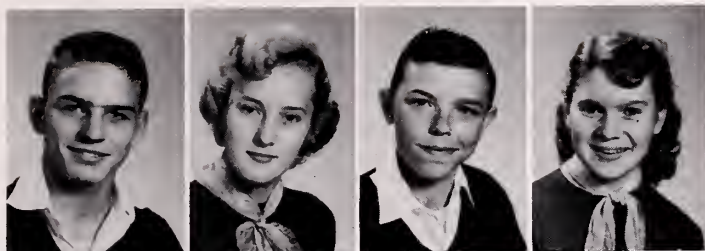


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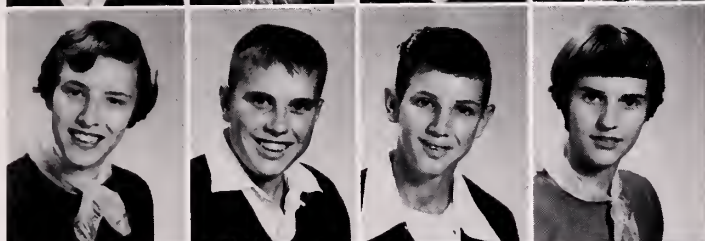




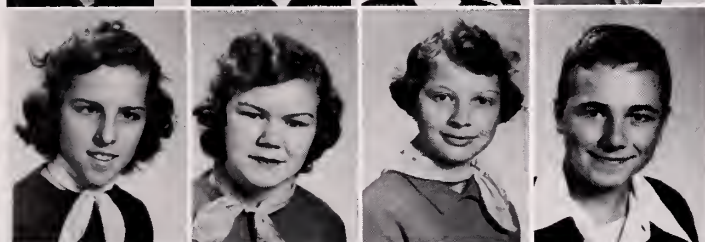
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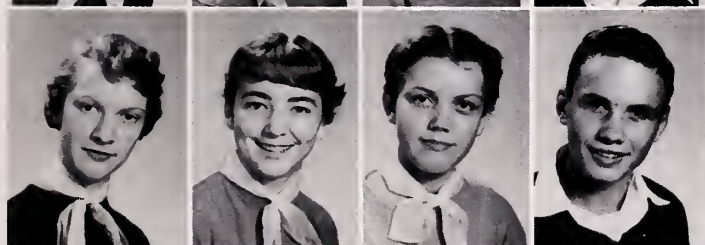
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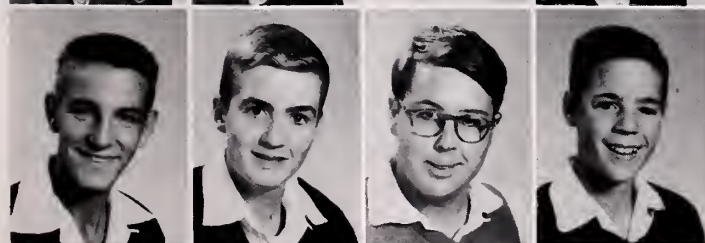
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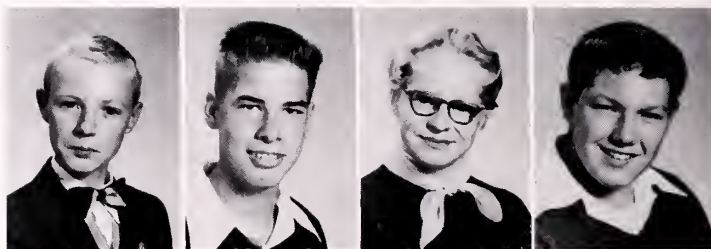
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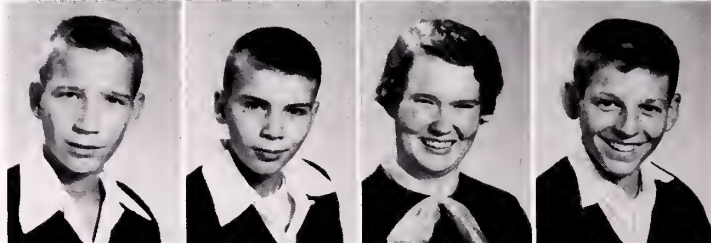
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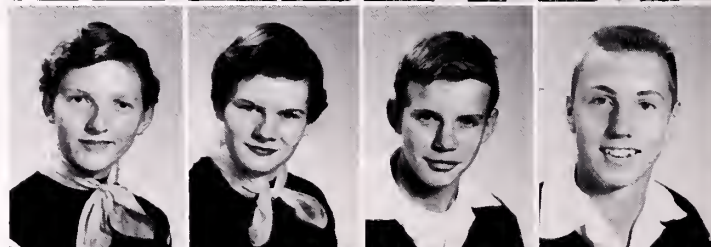
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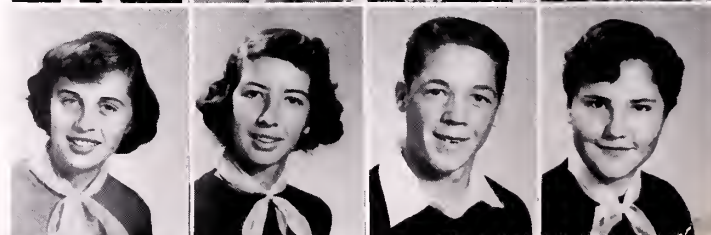
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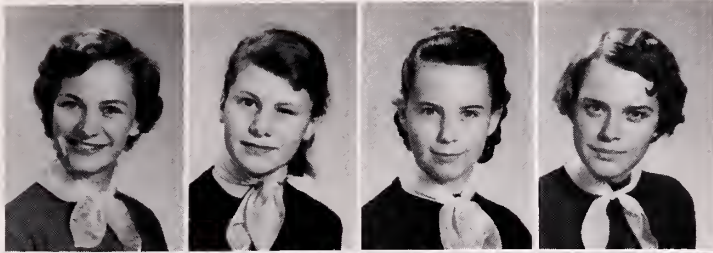


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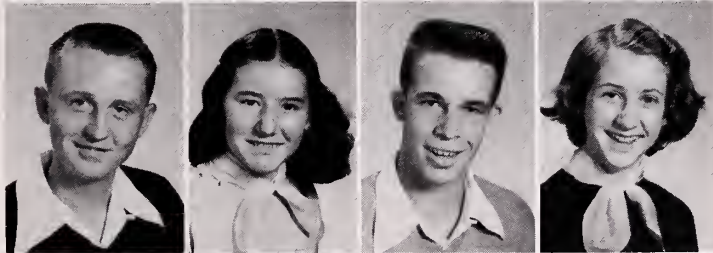




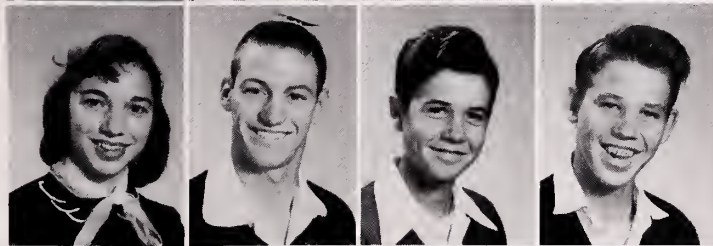
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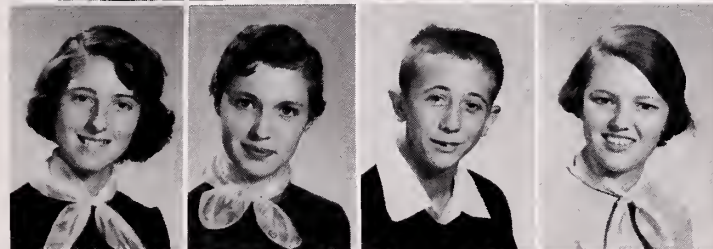
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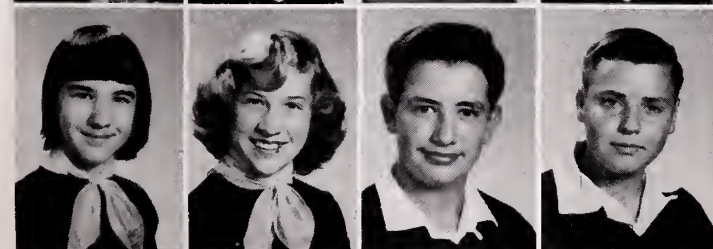
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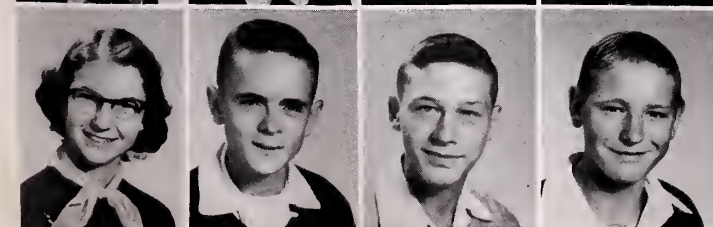
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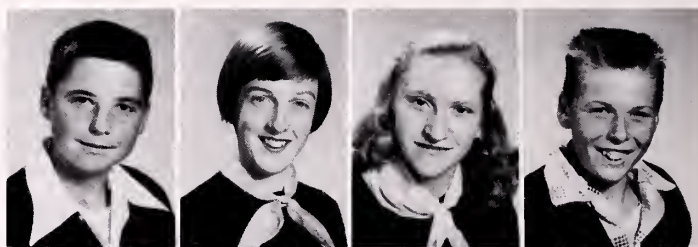
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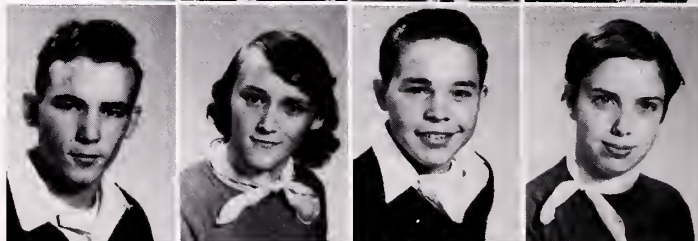
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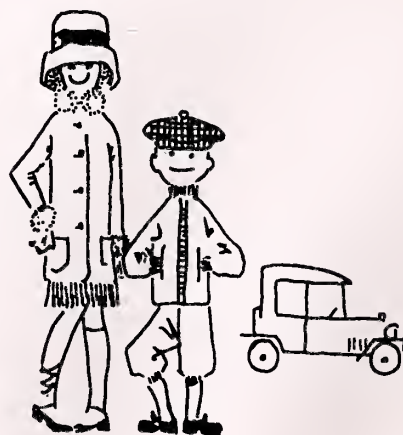


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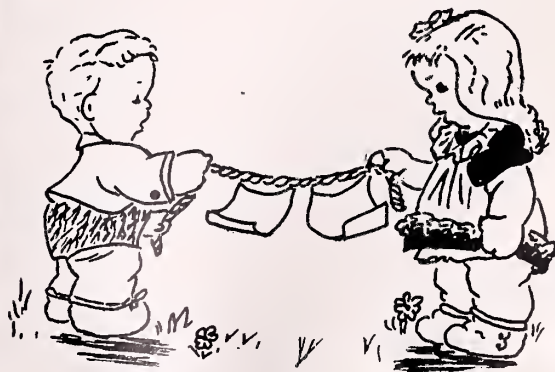
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## *Eighth Grade*



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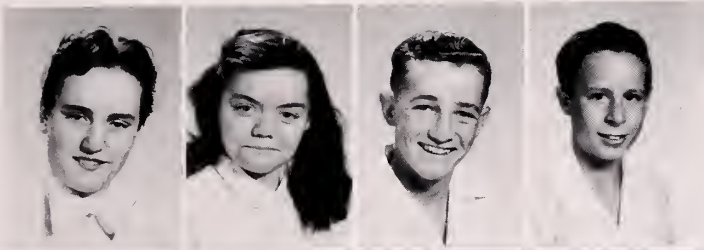
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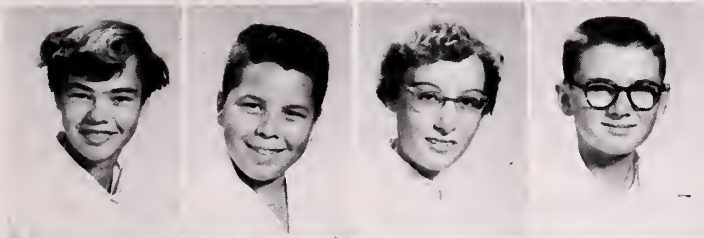




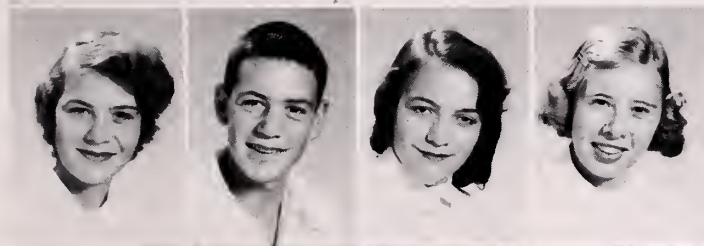
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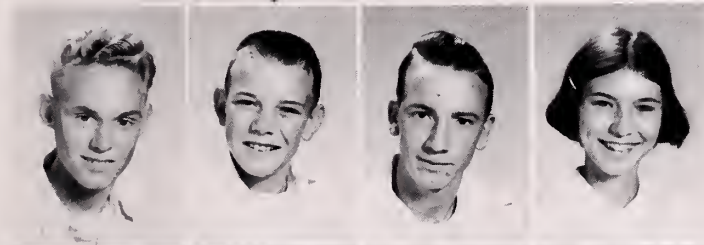
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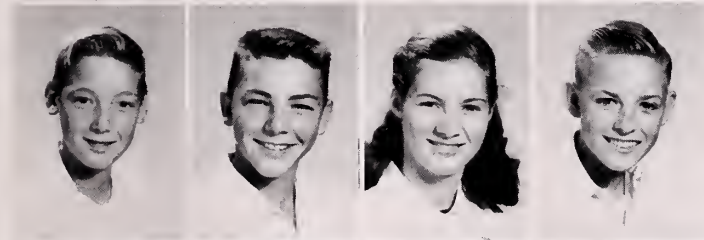
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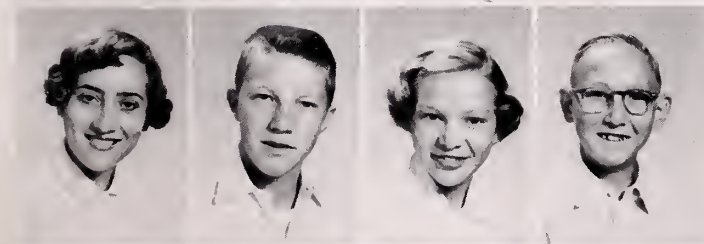
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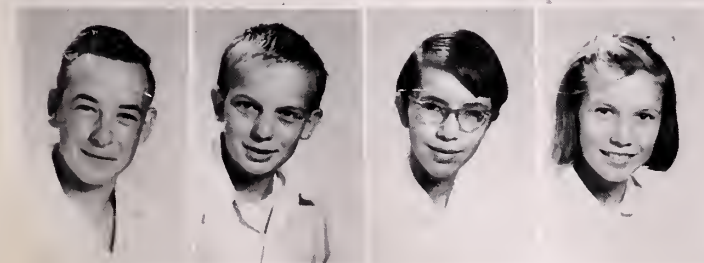
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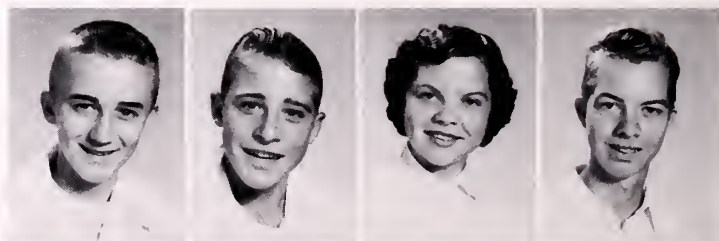
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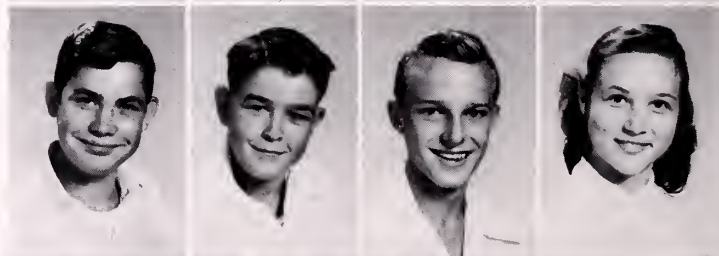
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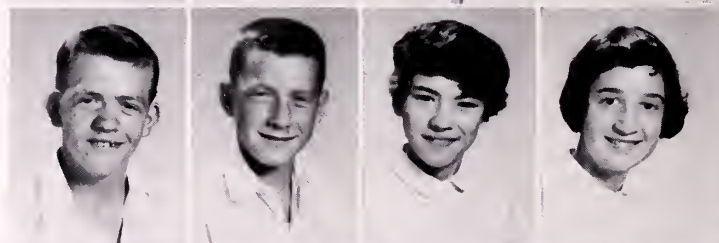
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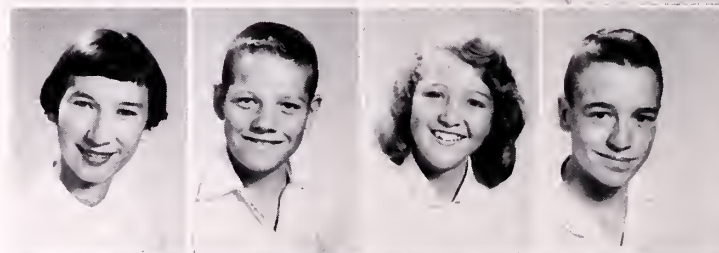
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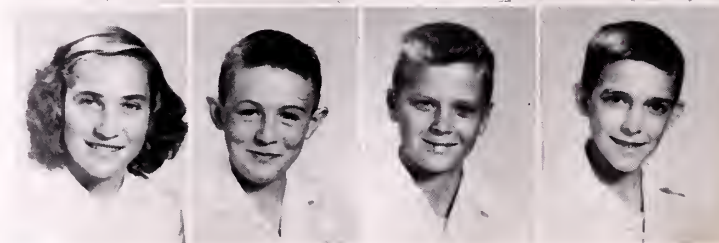
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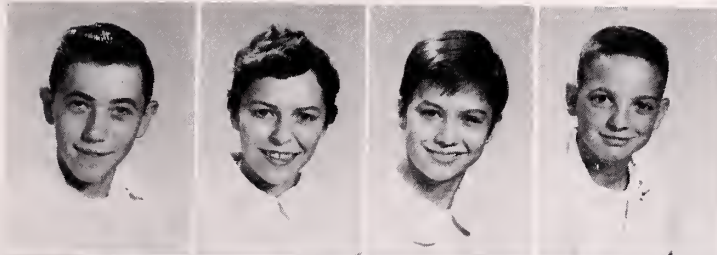
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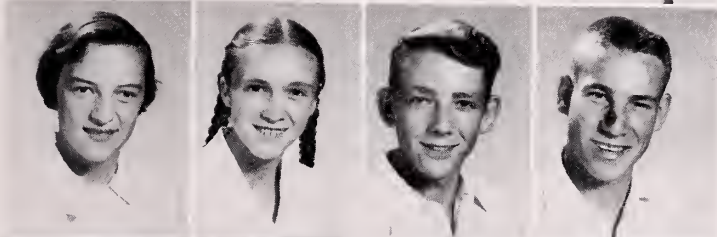




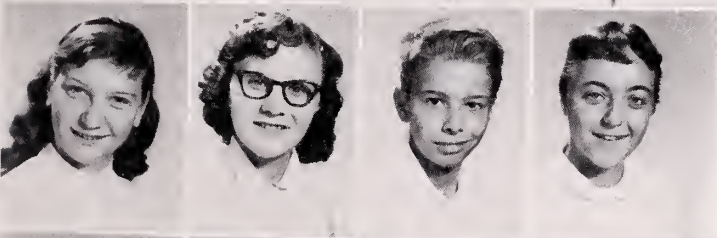
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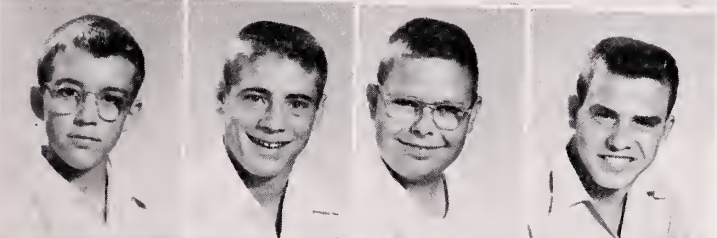
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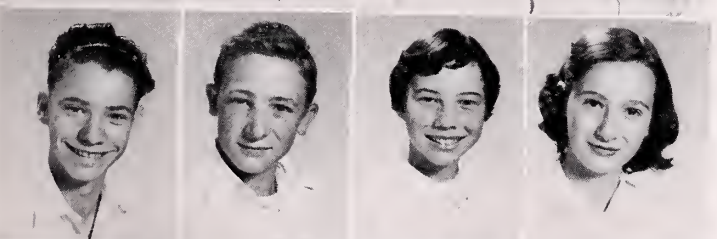
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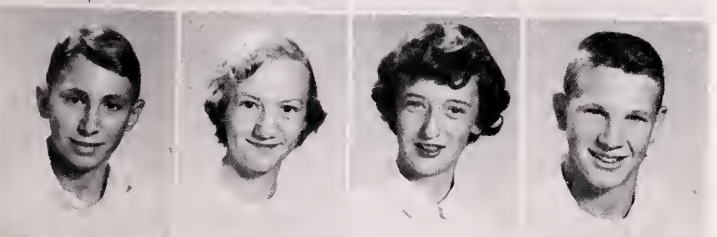
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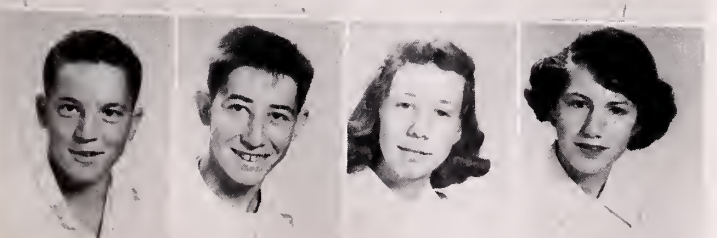
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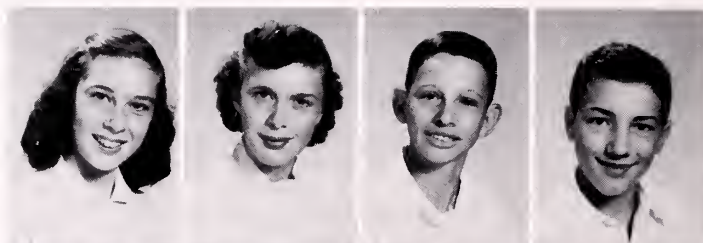
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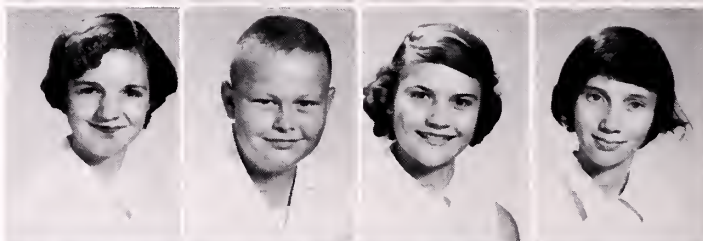
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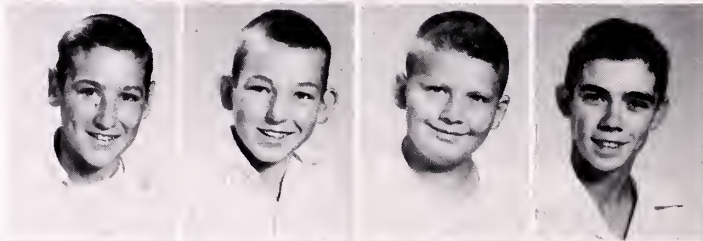
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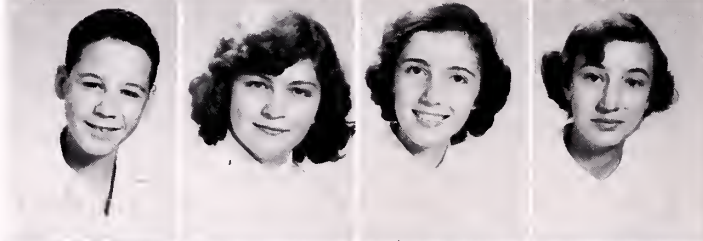
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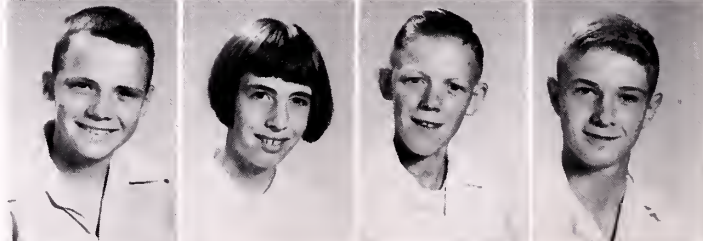
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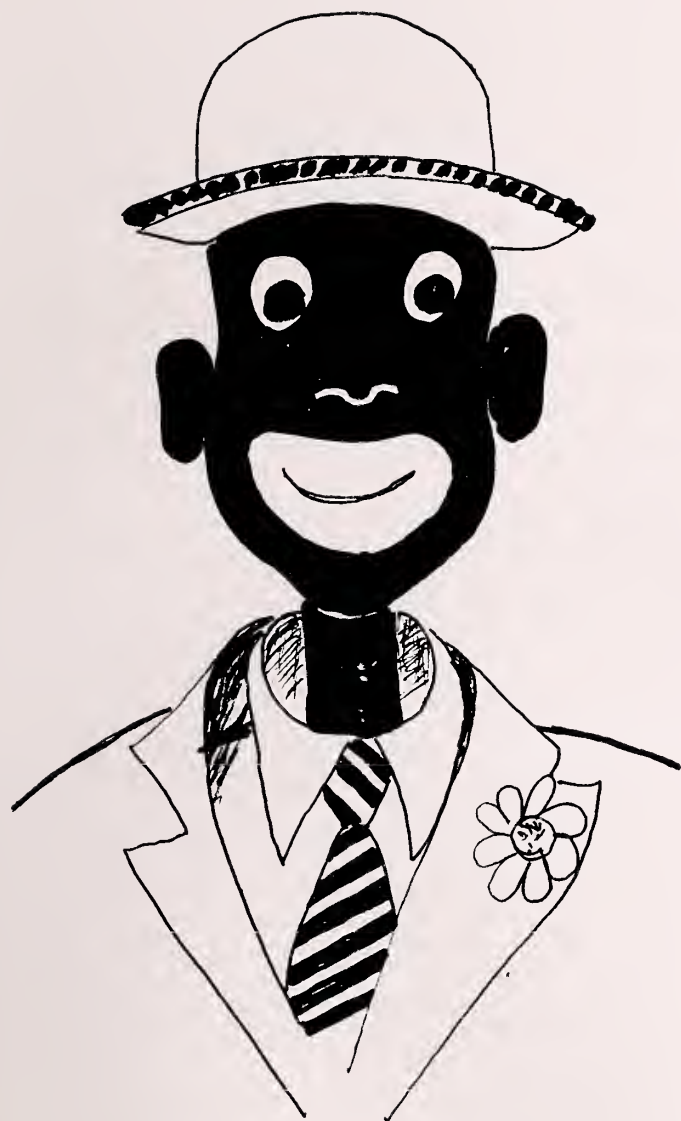


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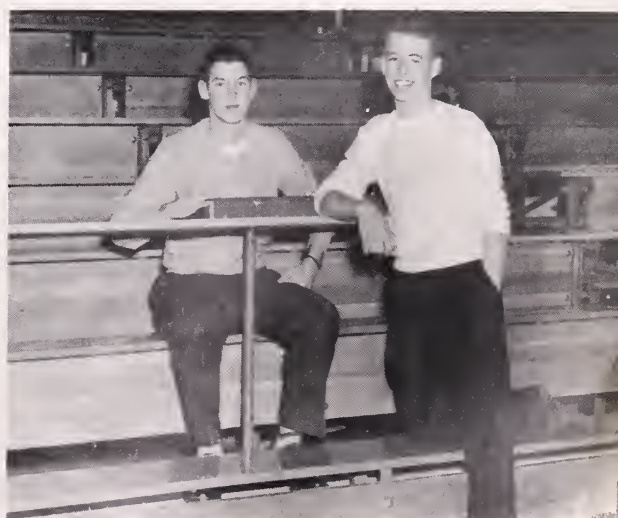
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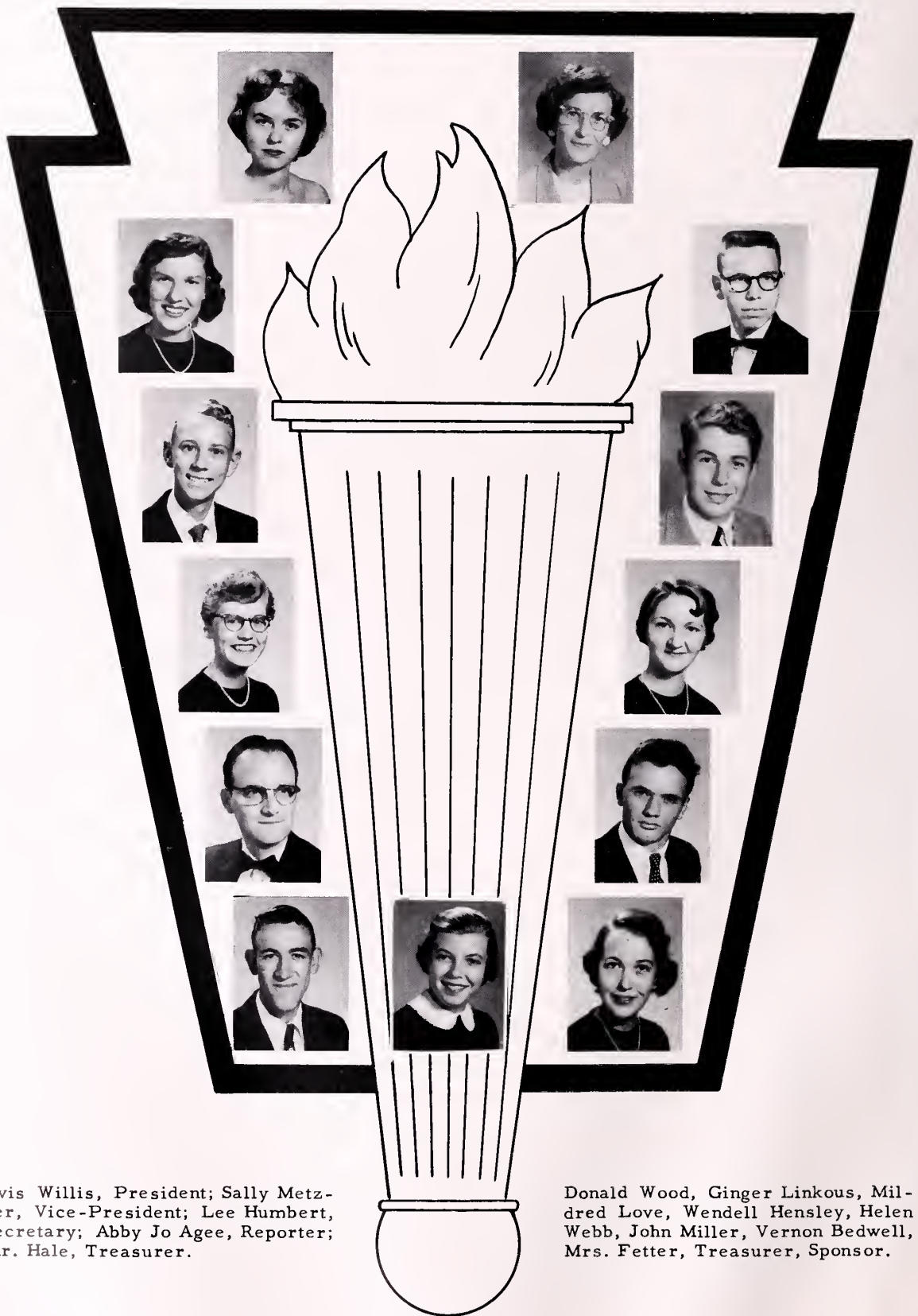


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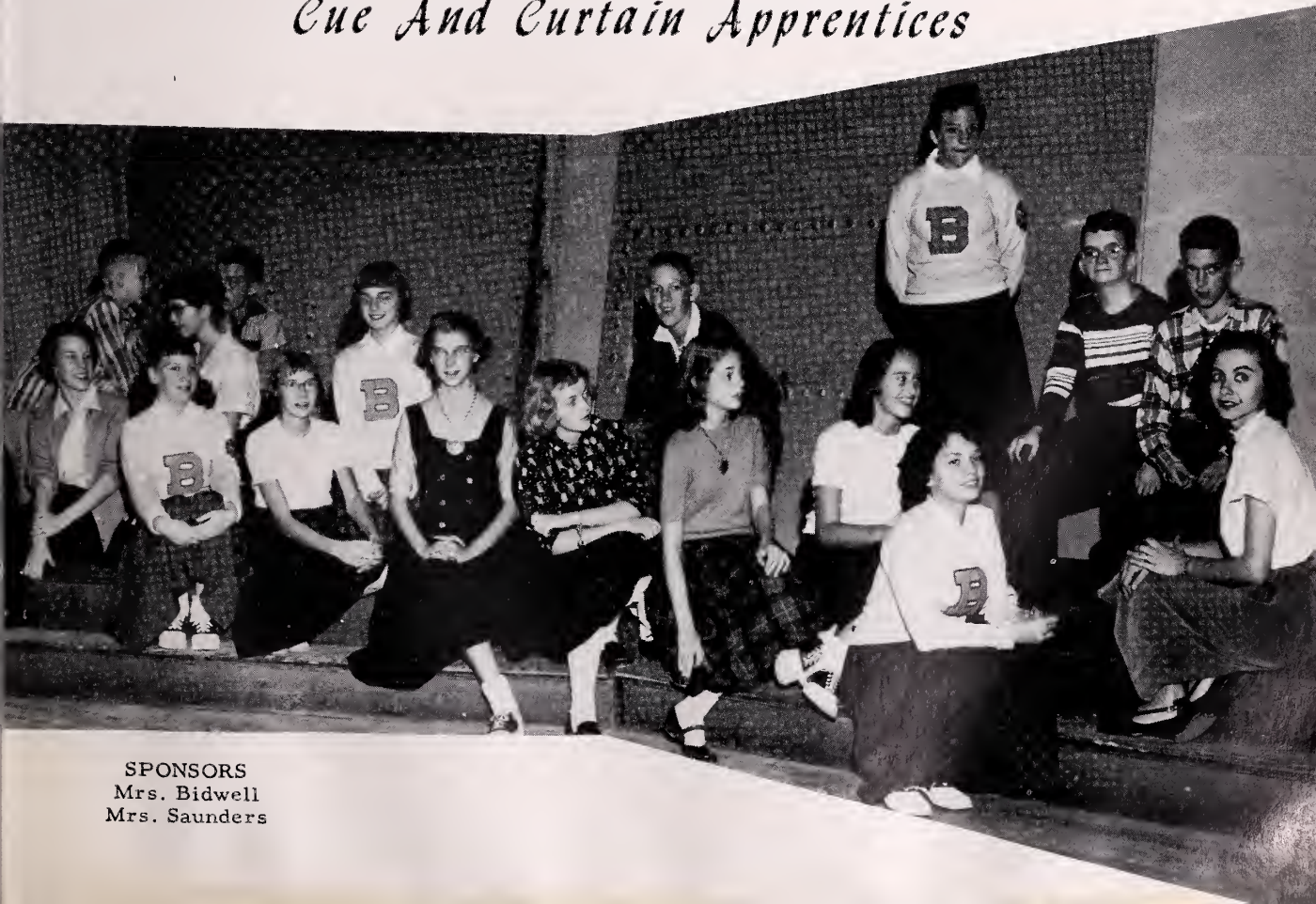


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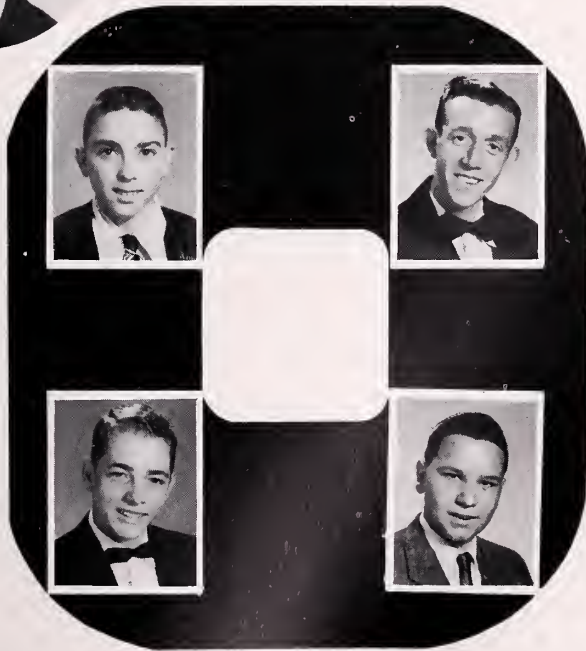
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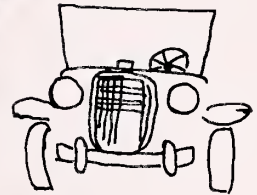


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Bertha Robinson

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Pat Price

Linda Mahaffey

Abby Jo Agee

Mary Virginia Jones

Sally Metzger



## *J. V. Cheerleaders*



Left to Right, Betty Jane Lillard, Pat Myers, Lora Roop, Elaine Duncan, Linda Anderson, Jolene Epperly, Janet Sue Roark.

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## *Glee Club*

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## Beta

## Club



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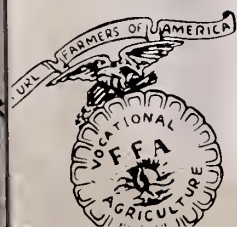
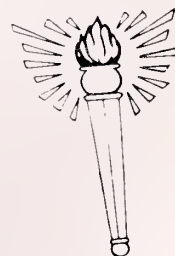
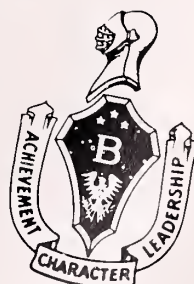






## Band

Band Director - Mrs. Bidwell



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# Snapshots



Popularity plus



Chez!



Whistle bait



Mike



Sleepy-time gals



My buddy



Judy



An afternoon stroll



Watch the birdie

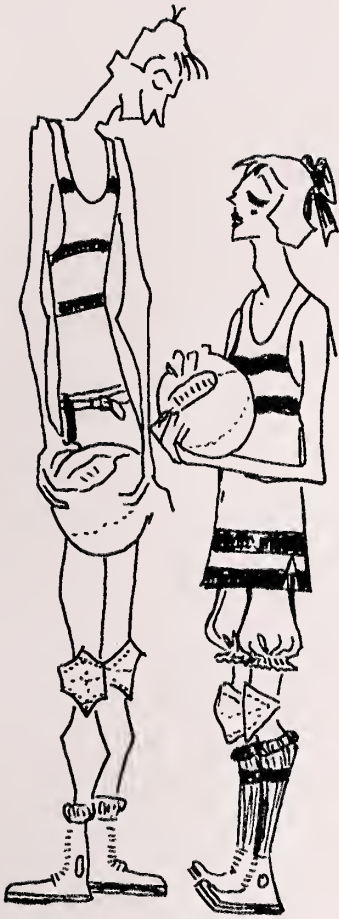


The four horsemen



Once upon a time





# SPORTS



# 1955 Varsity Football Squad



Top Row: Coach Dave Brown, Proco, Givens, Graham, Smith, Allen, Carr. Middle Row: Lockwood, Oliver, Webster, Ligon, Venturino, Price, Brown, Ballangee, C. Absher, Lafon, Gallimore, Wright. Bottom Row: Linkous, H. Absher, Bevins, Silvey, Hungate, Jennelle, Winters, Kelsey, Dunbrack, Hensley.

Indians	Opponents	
0	Andrew Lewis	20
20	Radford	20
21	Dublin	14
6	Pulaski	19
12	Bassett	33
19	Bedford	6
14	Narrows	13
19	William Byrd	6
7	Christiansburg	26
14	Galax	14



Coach Dave Brown and Co-captains Harold Absher and G. K. Bevins.





Oliver



Comer



Lafon, Wright, Graham, Smith

Absher, Ballangee



Tuck





# FOOT



Winters



Ballangee



Proco, Brown, Webster, Allen, Givens, Gallimore.



Comer, Bevins, Absher, Ballangee, Oliver.

Silvey

Hensley



10

20

30

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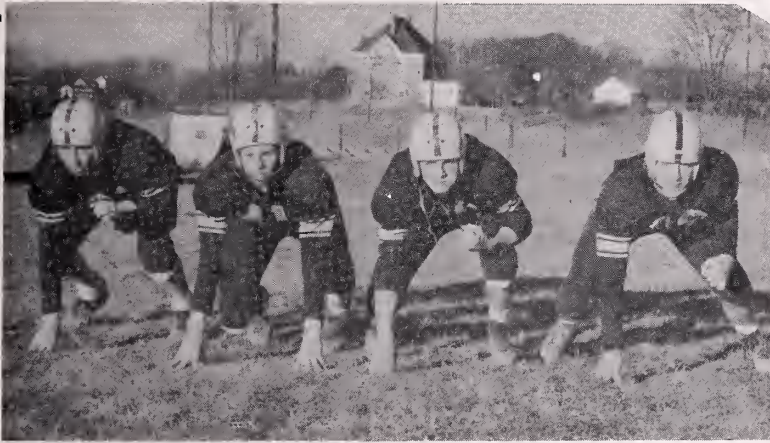
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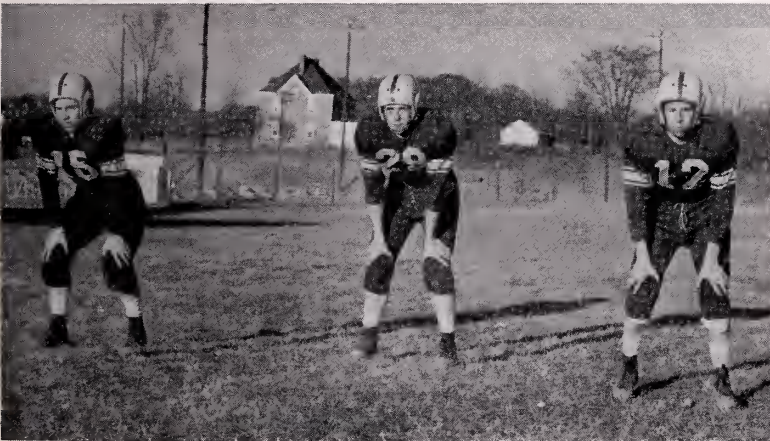
Kelsey



Jennelle



Price, Lockwood, Ligon, C. Absher.



Venturino, Linkous, Carr.

Hungate

11

Dunbrack



40

30

20

10





Left to right: Varsity Coaches Bill Brown and Dave Brown; Junior Varsity Coach Curtis Gray.



Football Managers: Bill Hardy and Raleigh Sandy.

## *Junior Varsity*

Top Row: Manager Bill Hardy, Linkous, Hubbard, Long, Maher, Huffman, Richardson, Strauss, Hederick, Oliver, Myers, Smith, & Manager Sandy. Middle Row: Kohler, Lucas, Hunter, Warren, Perdue, T. Sandy, Dunton, Rice, Weddle, Holeman, Compton. Bottom Row: Metzger, Kirk, Thompson, Wingate, Marshall.







Action



Hit Hard



Charging Indians



The Starters



## *Basketball*

1955-56 Schedule			B.H.S.	Opp.
December	9	Franklin at Rocky Mount	40	66
"	13	Pembroke at Home	44	33
"	16	Radford at Radford	45	69
January	3	Franklin at Home	47	54
"	6	Dublin at Dublin	38	45
"	10	Pulaski at Pulaski	43	46
"	12	Narrows at Home	31	44
"	13	Bassett at Bassett	36	60
"	17	Narrows at Narrows	42	50
"	24	Pembroke at Pembroke	62	59
"	27	Dublin at Home	45	46
"	31	Andrew Lewis at Home	51	75

Eight games remain to be played.



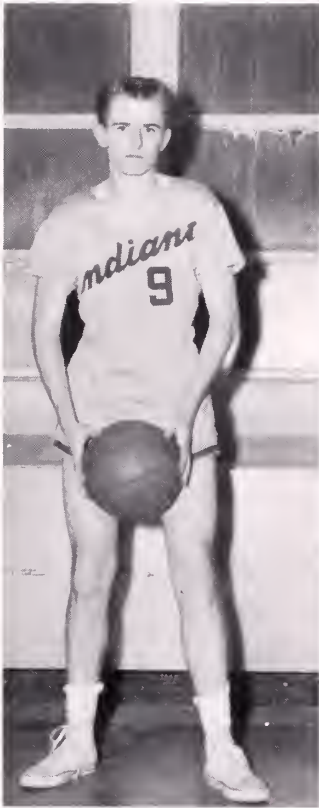


Left to right, top row: Marshall, Manager; Silvey, Givens, Oliver, Wingate, Coach Bill Brown. Middle row: Daniel, Radford, Daughtrey, Hensley. Bottom row: Kalison, Shaver, Lewis, Fetter.

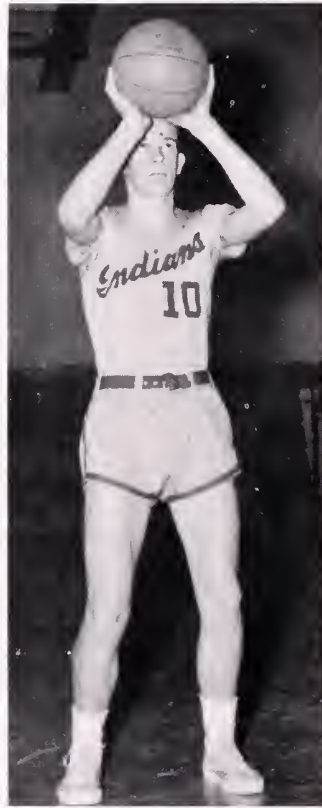
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Daniel



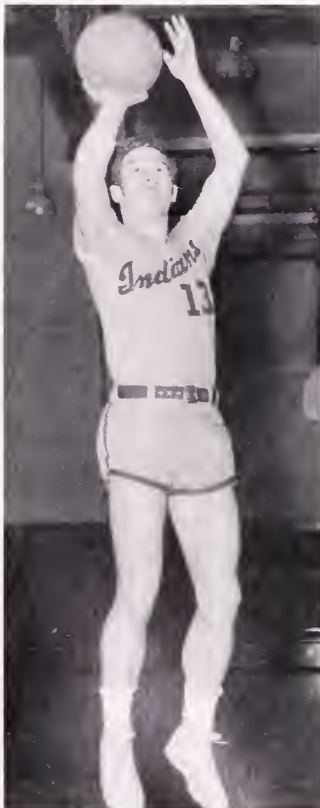
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Kalison



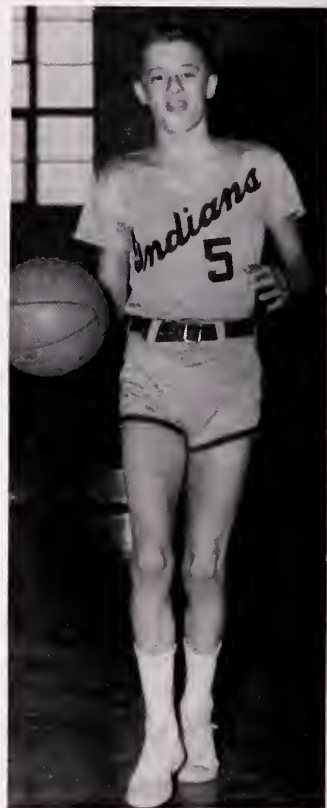
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Absher

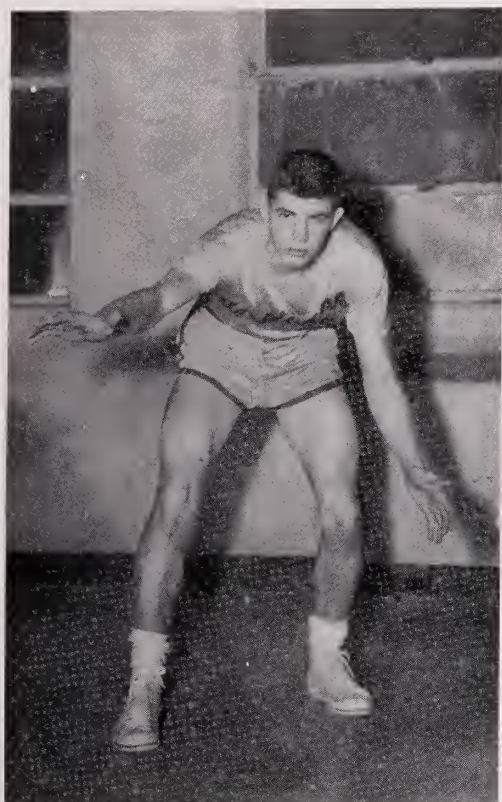


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Fetter

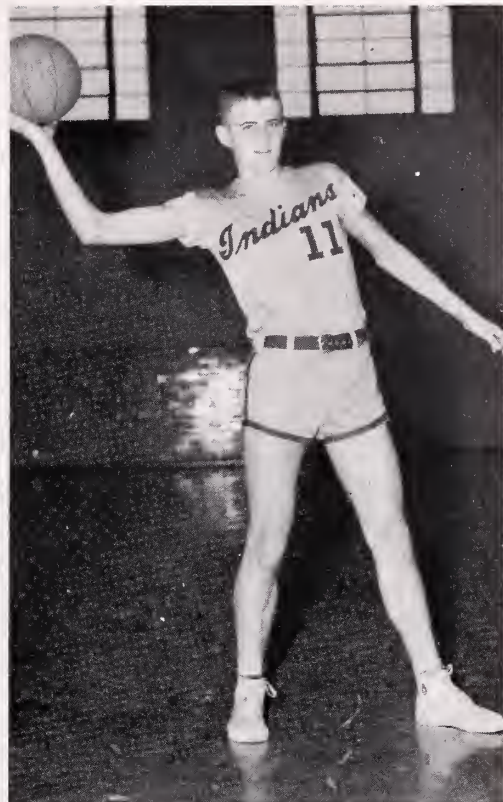




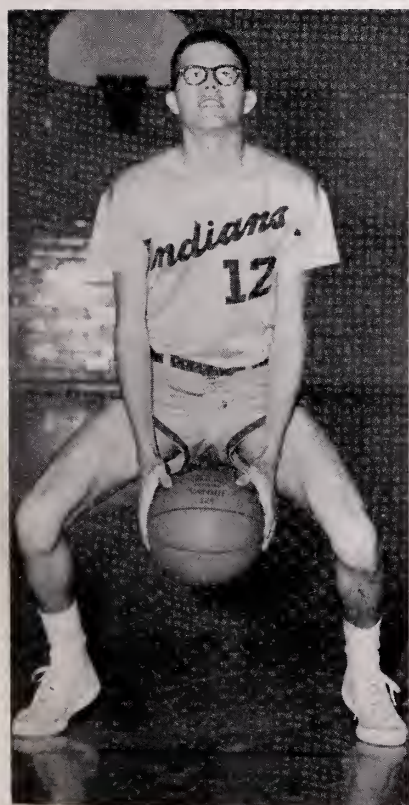
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Givens



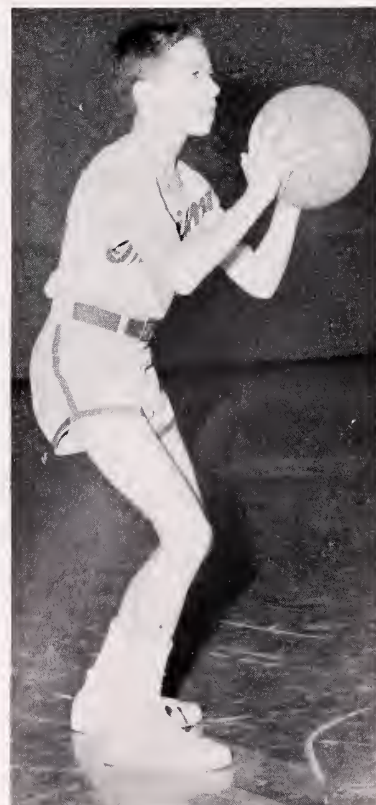
Radford



Wingate



Coach Brown



Lewis





Ready to Go



The Jump



In the Air



Hot Action



## *Wrestling*

The Wrestling Team of 1956, the first in the history of the school and the only team in Group II, has been very successful in the first two matches. Their first encounter was a practice match with Andrew Lewis which they won 24-23. Their first official contest they won 25-24 over William Fleming's B team.

Jim Webb, the team coach, is a former state champion from Jefferson High School.

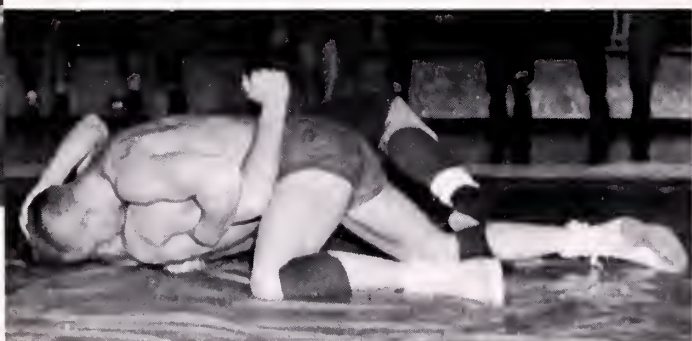


Left to right, top row: Manager Bradley, Graham, Hungate, Jennelle, Winters, Lucas, Bevins, Dunbrack. Middle row: Lockwood, Comer, Ballangee, Smith, Amos, Brown, Kelsey. Bottom row: Venturino, Radford, Moschler, Van Dyke, Gray, Proco, Hardy. Absent when picture was taken: Coach Webb.





Dunbrack Gains First Victory



Comer



Proco

Kelsey

Bevins







## Track

Left to right, top row: Carr, Venturino, Dunbrack, Winters, Price, Hungate, Kelsey, Livermore, Lucas, Coach Dave Brown. Bottom row: Smith, Jennelle, Bevins, Proco, Tuck, Oliver, Linkous, Baker, Warren, Perdue, Comer. (Absent, Hensley and Absher)

## Baseball

			B.H.S.	OPP.
April	12	Dublin	6	8
"	19	Riner	11	0
"	22	C'burg	13	3
"	26	Narrows	12	6
"	29	Pembroke	8	13
May	4	Pembroke	6	5
"	9	Pulaski	0	13
"	12	Dublin	6	1
"	17	Pulaski	6	5
"	20	Narrows	6	5
"	24	C'burg	4	3

Left to right, top row: Manager Jackson, Gray, Wohlford, Perdue, Manager Kalison, Coach Bill Brown. Middle row: Bevins, Smith, Absher, Settles, Hensley, Givens. Bottom row: Oliver, Olinger, Davis, Linkous, Hungate, Price.







Tumbling



Badminton

## *Girls'*



Mrs. Alice Lubenow  
Instructor

## *Activities*

Basketball



Volleyball





*Varsity Cheerleaders*



# Snapshots



People?



Ready to step out



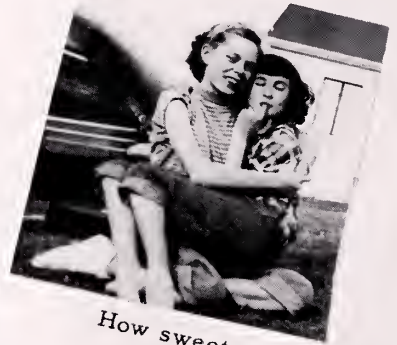
Maxine



Easy, now!



Romance in the air



How sweet



Solid comfort



Friends forever



These people are hungry



What's wrong Tom?





## FEATURES



Contestants



Finalists

1955

BEAUTY



CONTEST

Betty Adamson, chosen as Miss Blacksburg High School of 1955. Nancy Kipps and "Liz" Ryman are runners-up.



Judges



Mr. J. B. Eades,  
Master of Ceremonies







Abby Jo Agee  
Second Place



Charles T. Pasco  
First Place



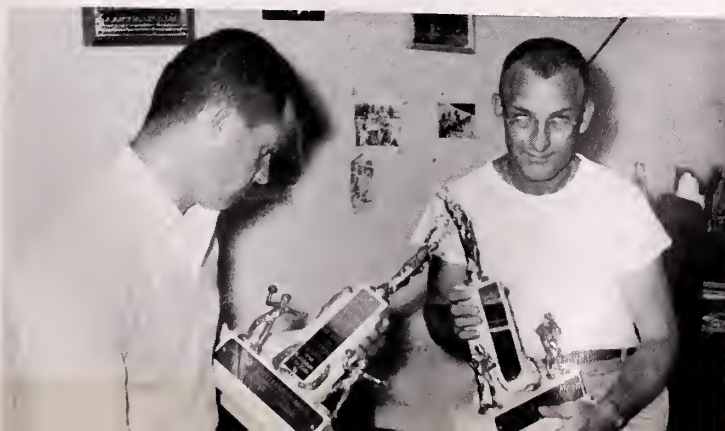
Otis Smith  
Third Place

## *Talent Show*



Co-captains John Neidhardt and Harold Gray, basketball, and Pete Kohler and Bill Smith, football, hold the Civitan sportsmanship awards received by B.H.S. in '55.

## *The Browns' Babies*



# SPRING



Their Majesties, Rex and Regina II, Bill Smith and Elsa Barringer.







Rex and Regina II.

# CARNIVAL





## *Dances*







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# *Homecoming*





## Events



Homecoming Queen  
Mary Alice McGhee and Court



Co-Captain G. K. Bevins crowns Mary  
Alice McGhee Blacksburg High  
School Homecoming Queen  
of 1955.





ASSEMBLES









Mr. Dick Hummel pays off his bet to Mr. Tom Gannaway after the Blacksburg homecoming game with Christiansburg.



# Snapshots



Ready for a date?



Our boys



The Gang



Genevieve



The annuals came



This isn't Florida



Little ones



What's wrong, Helen?



Bach, no doubt!



B. H. S. band

# Snapshots



Rah team!



Second childhood



Peggy



Mrs. Linkous  
"The good ole days"



Quite a fan club, Anne!



You can eat them, too!



"Sweet Adeline"



Cheesecake



The rock pile



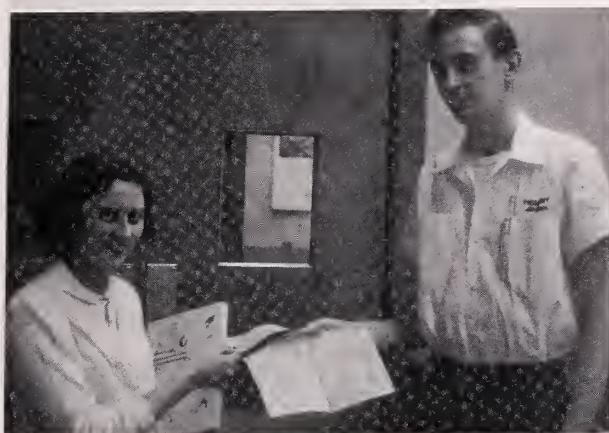
Phys. ed class?



Millie - remember when?



# Snapshots



"Oh Happy Day"



Sally



Brotherly love



Hold him!



At last, there're here



The big night



Industrious boys

# Snapshots



Champ



Eagerest Sophomore



What's going on?



Anything to eat?



Faye



Ain't we fine!



Most eligible bachelor



Which is the dog?



Two fine gals



Girls will be girls!





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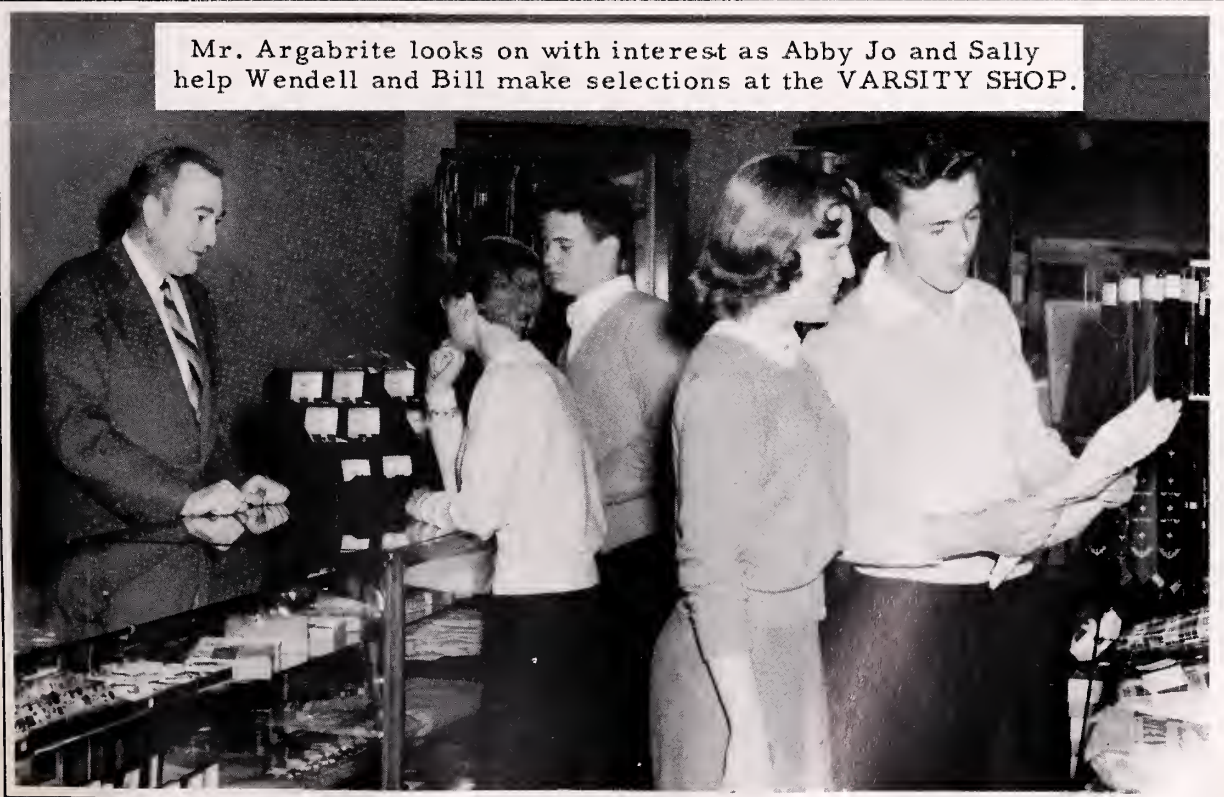
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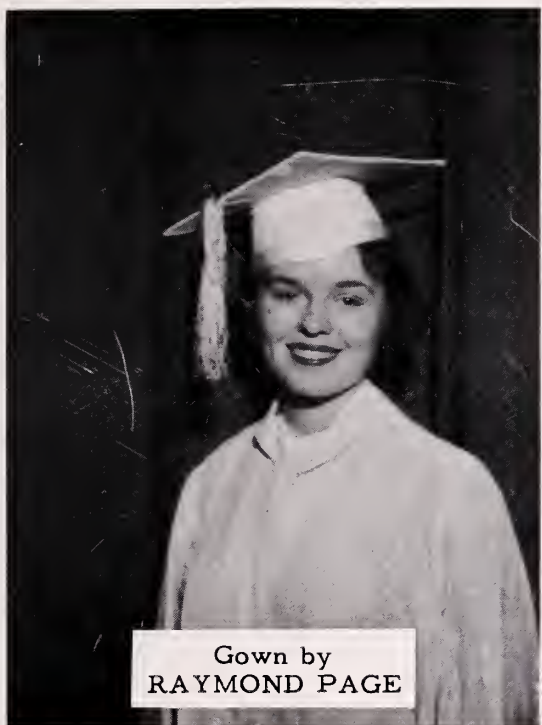
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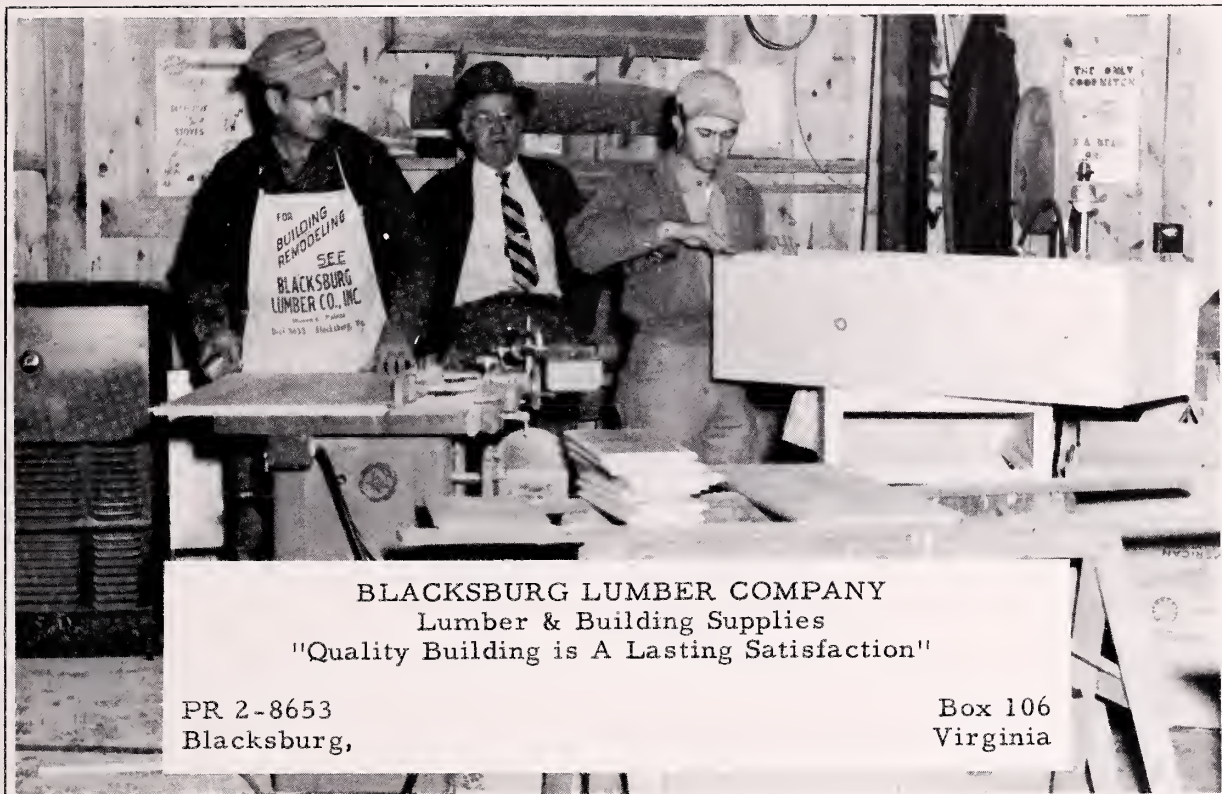
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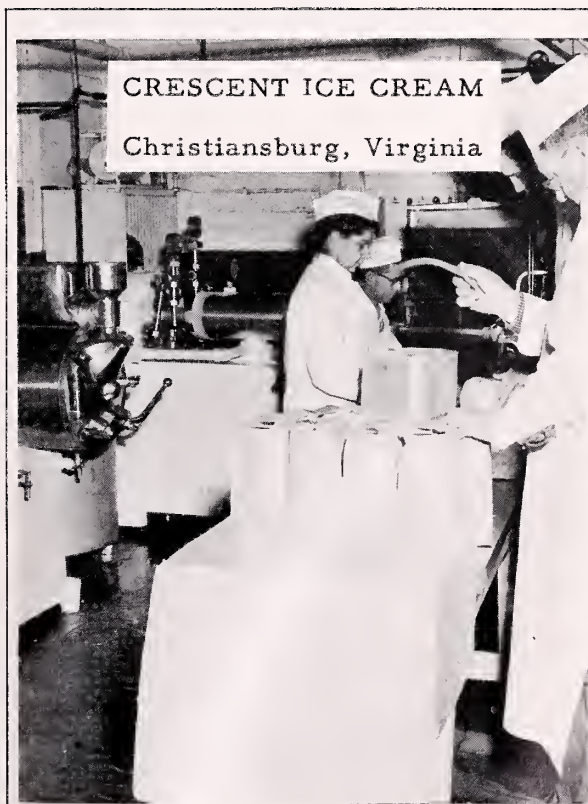
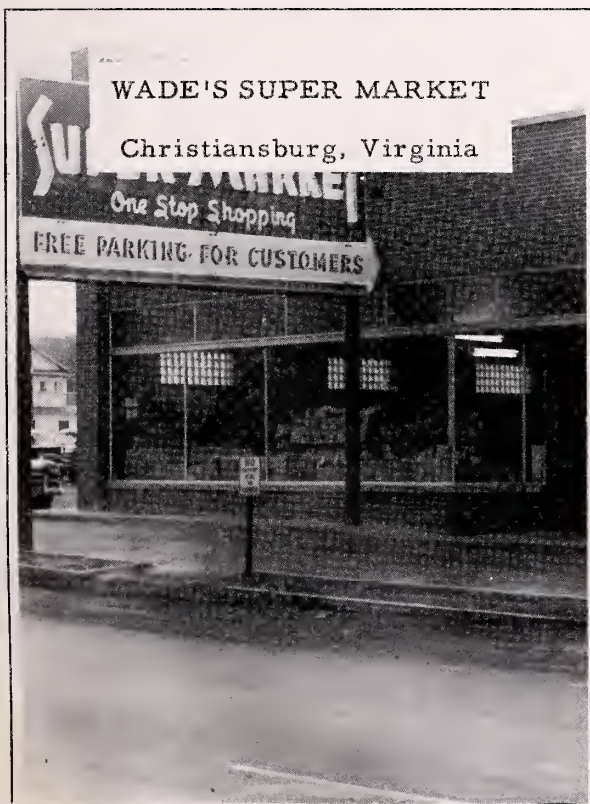




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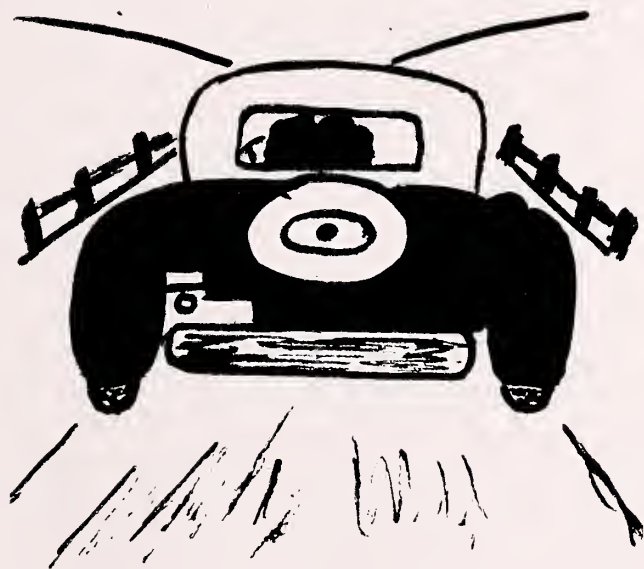
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